THE WEATHER.

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ANOTHER VICTORY FOR RECIPROCITY

Bailey's Free List Amendment Defeated by the Senate Yesterday.

DEBATE IS NEARING CLOSE

Consideration of Measure Is Expected to Move With Rapidity from Now On—Heyburn Criticises Republicans.

Washington, July 12.—Senator Bailey's free list amendment to the Canadian reciprocity bill was defeated in the Senate late today by a large majority. So evident was the margin against it that Senator Bailey did not ask for a roll-call.

Pursuing the policy of forcing the opponents of reciprocity to proceed without delay, Senator Penrose urged Senator Bailey to introduce his wool tariff amendment at once The latter did so, and the Senate adjourned with the amendment pending. It is a modification of the wool tariff bill recently passed by the House, and places all duties on raw and manufactured wool at a general average of 30 per cent.

The consideration of the reciprocity bill is expected to move with rapidity from now on. The wool amendment will probably be disposed of tomorrow, and Senators LaFollette and Bristow are ready with their amendments and their speeches against the bill.

"Semi-Democrats," "borrowed Democrats," and like terms were applied to the Republican Senators supporting the bill, by Senator Heyburn, of Idaho, in a speech against the measure. He declared that when the vote on the bill is taken, all real Republicans in the Senate will be opposed to it, while the "Semi-Democrats," will vote for it, along with the 'Fee Simple Democrats."

"How can we educate the leader of the party back to Republican principles?" asked Senator Nelson, of Minnesota.

"Who is the leader of the Republican party?" asked Heyburn.

Senator Bailey declared that the Republicans were in a state of mutiny, and did not know their leader.

Mr. Heyburn, declared that the reciprocity bill came to Congress "wrapped in the flag of the pirate."

"We are told: 'Here's the bill; now you pass it without any change,'" said Mr. Heyburn.

He declared that he opposed amendments to the bill as well as the bill itself, because "every amendment is a splinter of the Republican flagstaff of protective policy."

"That can't be," interjected Senator Clapp, "the flagstaff has been broken and the flag pulled down."

"I'll bet you seven million Republican votes that is not true," said Heyburn. He added that he believed the Republicans would ultimately come together again on protective principles. Asked by Senator Bailey as to how he would classify the insurgents, Heyburn said they were "mavericks," waiting to be branded.

"If they can be rounded up in the White House I don't know how they will be branded," said Bailey.

Senator Heyburn, characterized some of the progressives as "progressing like a crab; you can't tell which way they are going."

"This is not the deathbed of the Republican party," said Senator Heyburn, referring to the split in the Republican ranks, "but it will be the deathbed of many of the men who are supporting this reciprocity bill, when the people realize that it means the pulling down of the protective system."

Senator Dixon, of Montana, declared that he would vote for the Bailey amendment to the reciprocity bill, and that if the reciprocity bill passed he would be willing to "stay until December and go through the whole tariff list."

Senator LaFollette's long promised wool and cotton tariff revision amendment to the Canadian reciprocity bill, proposing duty reductions which he calculated would save the consumer $169,000,000 annually on cottons and $172,000,000, on woolens will be introduced tomorrow.

In a statement explanatory of the amendment, and made public tonight, Mr. LaFollette says that against this enormous saving to the consumers, which assumes that the price to the consumer would be reduced to the same extent as the reduction of duty, the loss of revenue to the government under the two schedules would approximate $30,000,000.

"The change for the woolen schedules as a whole," says Mr. LaFollette, "would represent a reduction from an average ad valorem of 61.74 per cent. under the present law, to 38.24 per cent. or a reduction of 23 1-2 ad valorem and over 38 per cent below the present rate. The average ad valorem rate on cotton goods, including artificial silk, is to be reduced under the proposed amendments from 55.59 per cent. under the present act to 29.45 per cent., representing a reduction of over 26 per cent. ad valorem, and over 47 per cent. below the present rate."

Mr. LaFollette declared that the duties proposed were still greater than necessary to protect American manufacturers from European competition However, as this is a temporary measure, he preferred, he says, "to err on the safe side," and make sure "that no legitimate American industry can possibly be injured by any of the proposed changes."

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TELLS OF GIVING OF REBATES

Action of Railroads Toward Big Corporations—Lowry's Testimony Featured Sugar Trust Probe Yesterday.

Washington, July 12.—Railroads give, or are still forced to give, rebates to big corporations and to the detriment of small concerns was the declaration of Frank C. Lowry, of New York, general salesman for the Federal Sugar Refining Company, before the Sugar Trust Investigating Committee today. In explanation of his charge Mr. Lowry declared that his company did not receive an allowance for lighterage in New York harbor as the "sugar trust" does. Mr. Lowry will continue his testimony tomorrow.

Frank L. Neale, a Philadelphia shipping agent, testified that while uniform rates are in operation, big concerns with "inside information" about intended changes in rates, or which received advantages in the shape of drayage, put smaller dealers under a handicap.

"Rates are so complicated," he declared, "that a big concern like the American Sugar Refining Company must employ a rate expert at $25,000 a year to 'work out' rates or all of its directors would go to jail for violating the Interstate Commerce laws."

Representative Fordney, of Michigan, expressed an opinion that any wide awake man would know about proposed changes in rates.

"Yes," added Representative Raker, of California, "the same kind of wide awake fellows have been cheating the public for 20 or 25 years."

ELKS TO IMPROVE HOME.

Eventful Day at Atlantic City—Big Parade for Today.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 12.—A per capita tax of 50 cents will be levied on every member of the Order of Elks to raise the $250,000 needed for the improvement of the National Elks' Home at Bedford City, Va., according to action taken by the Grand Lodge this afternoon. A commission consisting of Grand Exalted Ruler J. P. Sullivan, Past Grand Exalted Ruler August Hermann, the board of trustees and three additional members will have charge of the project with full power to act.

The Newport, R. I., Lodge, No. 104, captured the $500 prize at the competitive drill today.

Sharles A. Rasbury, of Dallas, Texas, defeated candidate for Grand Exalted Ruler, announced this afternoon that he would run for office at Portland, Ore., next year.

The Elks tonight are preparing for the big parade tomorrow along Atlantiv avenue, the main thoroughfare of the city. The procession will get under way at 2 o'clock, and will be in command of Grand Esquire James R. Nicholson, of Boston, who has divided the Elks into ten divisions.

C. L. Applegate, of Salt Lake, was today elected grand trustee on the third ballot.

MUST REDUCE THE RATE.

On Coffee Shipments Says Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington, July 12.—A reduction of approximately 20 per cent. on coffee shipped from New Orleans to Birmingham, Ala., today was requested of the Interstate Commerce Commission. A reduction of this or any other considerable amount naturally would affect the rates on coffee from New Orleans to all Northern and Eastern points.

The complaint was instituted by the freight bureau of the Merchants' & Manufacturers' Association, of Birmingham, against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company, and other north and south carriers. Certain low grades of coffee now are transported between the two cities at a rate of 35 cents a hundred pounds, the higher grades taking a rate of 55 cents a hundred pounds.

The rates from New Orleans to Nashville, Tenn., are now respectively 22 cents and 28 cents a hundred pounds, although the distance between New Orleans and Nashville is greater than that between New Orleans and Birmingham. The Birmingham rates, therefore, are alleged to be excessive and discriminatory.

NOT A TRUE BILL.

White Man Charged With Murder Is Released — The Case.

Raleigh, N. C., July 12.—The grand jury today failed to find a true bill of indictment in the case of R. W. Montague, charged with killing Buck Robertson, near Eagle Rock, June 4th. Montague, after he had killed Robertson, surrendered to th eofficers, he having been shot by Robertson before he slew him. The trouble arose over Montague having been forbidden to go with Robertson's sister, Miss Clarice Robertson, who died of grief shortly after her brother's death.

Chapel Hill, N. C., July 12.—By the prompt action of the University employes, the Chapel Hill fire company, and volunteer fire fighters from the Summer School Law Class and town, a fire at the University Power plant, which otherwise would have been very serious, was quickly controlled at 5:30 Monday afternoon, and but little loss was sustained.

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ALLEGED PLOTTERS PLEAD NOT GUILTY

McNamaras Answer in Court to Nineteen Charges of Murder.

TRIAL AT LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Fixing of Date for Trial Postponed to Await Arrival of Attorneys—Both Men Cool and Collected—The Charges.

Los Angeles, July 12.—John J. and James B. McNamara, alleged dynamite plotters, answered "not guilty" today to the 19 charges of murder against them when after ten weeks in the county jail, Judge Walter Bordwell, had over-ruled every point advanced by the defense for the quashing of the indictments.

John McNamara, was the first to be asked how he wished to plead. He answered "not guilty." Hardly a minute later James B.N. McNamara made a similar response to the same charge. Afterward they replied at the same time to the accusations. When the 19 murder accusations growing out of the Times explosion had been answered, John J. McNamara stood alone and answered "not guilty" to the charge of complicity in the explosion at the Llewellyn Iron Works in this city.

The defense asked that the date of trial be postponed until Joseph Scott, one of the McNamara's attorneys, could not return from San Francisco. The prosecution objected, but Judge Bordwell ordered a continuance until Friday morning when the trial date will be settled.

CAROLINA ENSIGN MISSING.

R. S. Young, Jr., of Concord, Probably Committed Suicide.

Washington, July 12.—Ensign R. S. Young, Jr., of Concord, N. C., disappeared from the destroyer Perkins at the New York navy yard last night, leaving a note stating that he intended to drown himself. The young officer had slightly overstayed his shore leave and had been called upon for an explanation.

New York, July 12.—Ensign Young, was last seen aboard the Perkins at 10 o'clock last night. Two weeks ago he was absent five days without leave, and upon his return Capt. Pringle, of the destroyer, sent him to the ward room. An inquiry into his conduct was to have started today.

A revolver was found in Young's cabin with all the cartridges unexploded, but with one of the cartridges indented by the impact, indicating that an attempt had been made to fire.

Charlotte, N. C., July 12.—Ensign Robert S. Young, Jr., who mysteriously disappeared from the torpedo boat destroyer Perkins at the Brooklyn navy yard last night, was to be married in the Fall to Miss Bessie Haidane Merritt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bryant Merritt, of Norfolk, Va. The engagement of the young couple was announced the latter part of May.

Ensign Young is the son of Dr. Robert S. Young, of Concord, N. C., who received the first intimation of his son's disappearance through the Associated Press story. The family is widely connected in this State. Recent letters from the young man said that he was in the best of health and spirits. His mother is in an Atlanta hospital, where she recently underwent an operation.

VILLAGE WIPED OUT.

Southwaterboro Practically Destroyed by Fire in Maine Yesterday.

Biddeford, Me., July 12.—Fire practically wiped out the village of Southwaterboro late today. The hotel, railroad station, all of the stores in the village and more than two score dwellings are in ruins and the fire is still raging in the woods and threatens Goodwins Mills, a village near Southwaterboro.

Estimates of the loss in Southwaterboro place the figures at upwards of $100,000, while the timber loss already sustained is many thousands more. Thirty families, nearly one-half of the population of the village, were driven from their homes.

The fire started in a barn on the western edge of the village and driven by a strong wind on its way through the very heart of the village which was without fire protection of any kind.

OLD JIM JONES MAY GO.

Place of Jeff Davis' Bodyguard Abolished by Lodge Resolution.

Washington, July 12.—Jim Jones, a negro, who was bodyguard of Jefferson Davis, president of the Confederacy and only possessor of the secret hiding place of the Confederate Great Seal, is among those whose positions are abolished under the Lodge resolution passed by the Senate today without debate. Later the Senate reconsidered the vote so that Senator Williams, of Mississippi, might speak on the resolution.

Jones has been absent on sick leave for two years.

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AIMED AT FOREIGN NOBLEMEN

Congressman Suggests Heavy Tax on Dowries of American Brides—Henry Makes Attack on John Hayes Hammond.

Washington, July 12.—A heavy tax on the dowries of American brides in international marriages, "so that the penurious, but titled fortune hunters might secure but a small moiety of the price the bride pays for him for a name which he himself dishonors by thus putting it up at auction to the highest bidder," was suggested by Representative Kahn, of California, in the House today as a means to stop alliances between American heiresses and "broken down foreign noblemen." His speech was in answer to an attack by Representative Henry, of Texas, a week ago.

"At no time in the history of the Republic," said he, "have the American ambassadors or ministers to foreign courts been less obsequious, dressed in simpler clothes and resorted to less finesse and chicane than now."

As to the criticisms of John Hayes Hammond, special ambassador to the coronation of King George, Mr. Kahn said he believed Mr. Henry, after calmer consideration, would admit to himself that they were "unjustified and entirely gratuitous."

Representative Henry, of Texas, replied to Mr. Kahn. He said it was the "vulgar extravagance," in diplomatic affairs, and not the "polite formality", of which he complained. He declared that Ambassador Reid's "vice regal estate in London was not typical of the American government."

"The Democratic party," he said, would go before the American people at the next election "to see whether they want our big foreign diplomatic posts to go to multi-millionaires or to the Thomas Francis Bayards and men of that sort."

"I would rather," he added, "that this country never would send another representative to Berlin than that this country should take orders from the German government as to what is to be the sine quanon of a diplomat there."

Mr. Henry said that in his opinion, the reason why Dr. David J. Hill was to leave Berlin was so that John Hayes Hammond might come home and get his credentials and go to Berlin.

Mr. Henry referred sarcastically to reports that John Hayes Hammond had "nudged the King," and had asked the King if he was not pleased that the coronation ceremonies had gone off so well.

"If we send him abroad to another coronation," said Mr. Henry, "I suppose he would nudge the Queen."

"Do you know why Dr. Hill is to leave Berlin?" asked Mr. Henry. "It's to make way for John Hayes Hammond, because Dr. Hill is a poor man and cannot live in great splendor."

NO LONGER AN ALLIANCE.

Between Two Leading Athletic Associations of Country.

New York, July 12.—Notice was served today on all officsers, clubs and members of the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States that on Monday next the alliance between the A. A. U., and the Athletic League, of North America, which is composed mainly of Y. M. C. A. athletic organizations, will be terminated.

James E. Sullivan, secretary-treasurer of the A. A. U. announced the annulment and advises all A. A. U. officials not to recognize A. L. N. A. registration after July 17th.

Y. M. C. A. athletics to compete in open sports of the A. A. U. must obtain registration in the district where they reside and contests between two or more branches of the Y. M. C. A., without sanction from the A. A. U., will involve disqualification of such competitors in A. A. U. games.

HEAT STILL PROVES FATAL.

Thirty-Six Died in New York—Decided Drop in Mercury.

New York, July 12.—Notwithstanding a decided drop in the mercury marking the recession of the heat wave, there were 36 deaths today attributed to the heat in the metropolitan district. The thermometer at 10 o'clock tonight had dropped to 76, the lowest figure since early last Sunday—and indications pointed to a still further drop tomorrow.

OUTLINES.

Two towns were practically destroyed and over 50 persons perished in the raging forest fires in Northern Ontario yesterday. The flames are still spreading and it is feared that great destruction will result.——Bailey's free list amendment to the reciprocity bill was defeated in the Senate yesterday. The wool amendment, which will probably be the last, was also introduced. Early action on the measure is now predicted.——It was suggested during a speech in Congress yesterday to place a heavy tax on the dowries of American brides, who marry titled foreigners, with a view to putting a stop to such international alliances.——A general sales agent of a sugar company told how the railroads either give, or are forced to give, rebates to big corporations.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent, ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2, offered at 2 1-4; spot cotton closed quiet unchanged, middling uplands 14.25, middling gulf 14.50; flour was about steady with fair local trade; wheat steady, No. 2 red new 93 elevator and 94 1-2 fob afloat; corn strong export No. 2, 70 1-4 fob afloat; oats steady, futures closed nominal; rosin and turpentine quiet.

DEATH TOLL HEAVY IN FOREST FIRES

Two Ontario Towns Completely Destroyed and 50 Persons Perished.

DROVE PEOPLE INTO THE LAKE

Flames Are Still Raging and Efforts to Check Them Prove Fruitless. Desperate Fight for Life. Features.

Toronto, Ont., July 12.—The loss of life in Porcupine district from yesterday's fires is known to be several hundred, and the property loss will reach several millions of dollars. Only three of the 84 employees of the West Dome mine have been accounted for, and 200 miners, muckers, etc., in the Dome mine have been suffocated. The mines burned include the Dome, the North Dome, Preston, East Dome, Vipond, Foley, O'Brien, Philadelphia, United Porcupine, Eldorado, Porcupine, Standard Imperial, West Dome and Success.

Among the dead are Robert Weiss, manager of the West Dome, and his wife and child. All reports give but a vague idea of the loss of life as well as property, in Porcupine camp, which probably will total millions of dollars and hundreds of lives.

In four short hours, commencing at 12:30 yesterday noon, the fire swept from the Standard mines through to the shores of Porcupine Lake, where it ate up the towns of South Porcupine, Pottsville and part of Golden City, as well as many small buildings along the lake front. While some loss of life occurred in the vicinity of Porcupine Lake, the greatest havoc was wrought around the main mines, notably West Dome and Big Dome.

There the trapped miners, cut off from escape, were forced to take to the shafts for safety, and, penned in by flames, perished. This was notably true at Dome and West Dome mines. At Preston, East Dome, an untimbered shaft gave shelter, and none perished.

The streets of South Porcupine are strewn with dead persons, horses, dogs and cattle. Along the mine roads are the charred bodies of those overcome trying to escape.

Early yesterday morning the miners saw dense clouds of smoke to the Southwest, where the fires were raging. They gave small heed. It was not until noon that the dense smoke clouds began to roll over the Porcupine district. Then the miners became alarmed. Messengers were sent out and soon returned with warnings that the fire was traveling through the forests at a rapid pace, and was licking up many towns.

Shortly after noon the fire had covered an area of 25 miles in length and two miles in width, and was licking up the base line of Tisdale, sweeping over the Standard and Imperial mines at DeLore, the Philadelphia, Inshaw, Eldorado and United mines, in southern Whitney.

When the seriousness of the situation was apparent the fire call was sounded with the Dome mine whistle. In half an hour the flames were raging on the spot. They swept over the Foley O'Brien mine, then jumped to the Preston-East Dome, and followed over the Dome, West Dome and North Dome.

Hundreds fled before the flames, but the dense clouds of black smoke hung very low over the land and made progress difficult. Many fell exhausted before the raging fire, as it swept over the town of South Porcupine. The frame buildings burned fiercely. Twenty minutes after the flames struck the outskirts, the town was in ashes. All who escaped the flames made for the water, where all sorts of water craft were pressed into service. Women and children were first huddled into small boats and started off for Pottsville and Golden City, where they were temporarily safe from the flames.

Many miners lost their lives in efforts to save others, and some were drowned.

Panic and chaos prevailed when the flight by water from South Porcupine began. Men fought with each other for places in the boats for their families. Police Officer Murray, with Jack Gardner, had to stand off the panic stricken foreigners who rushed for each boat as it came in. Men were hurled into the water and many rushed in as the only place of safety. Thirty launches and as many canoes soon had the women landed safely on the other side of the lake.

Acts of heroism were numerous, while the horrors of the holocaust are too gruesome to print. One man was led through the town with both eyes burned out; another with his face and arms a mass of blisters, and still another's abdomen was burst open by burns. Harry Roche, a mining engineer, and A. S. Shields, brought out a man who was so seriously burned that a portion of his hand fell off when he was picked up. Little will ever be known of the experiences at some of the properties, as only the dead remain.

Toronto, Ont., July 12.—As the result of the forest fires that are sweep-

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HARDWARE MEN IN SESSION

Interesting Sessions of Annual Convention at Asheville Yesterday. Reports of Officers—Splendid Addresses.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., July 12.—The Hardware Association of the Carolinas after having a group photograph taken convened in third annual session at 10 o'clock this morning at Battery Park ball room. The routine programme was carried out with a few extra speeches and addresses. The secretary read the list of new members secured during the year, showing 65 members and 15 associate members. Telegrams were read extending greetings from absent members.

President W. H. Smith delivered the annual address, short and to the point. He compared the association with a large family that must be united and work together to accomplish results, however, each member should put forth an abundance of personal effort. He spoke briefly on rates, suggesting that the shipper should insert weights and rates in bill of ladings.

Secretary Dixon, of Charlotte, made an interesting report showing that the general work of the association has been successful during the year. He reported that he had traveled 4,000 miles, having seen 200 firms in 75 towns, securing new members as above. As to policies he thought members on the losing side of the parcals post bill, but must try not to be damaged by the result. The need of better express rates was advocated with penny postage. He put the ban on syndicate buying and considered the jobber a necessary medium. Concerning mutual fire insurance, he stated $300,000 was carried last year by the Association with one loss of $500, allowing big rebates.

A short address was made by Mr. Lewis, of Huntington, Pa., secretary of the National and Pennsylvania Mutual Hardware Fire Insurance Company, following which were reports of grievance, transportation and legislative committees.

The afternoon was given over to exhibitors as yesterday. The night session was consumed by pertinent addresses concerning different phases of the hardware business in which several associate members took a prominent part.

WARE-KRAMER SUIT.

Case Now With Jury in Federal Court At Raleigh.

Raleigh, N. C., July 12.—In the damage suit of the Ware-Kramer Tobacco Company, of Norfolk, Va., against the American Tobacco Company, for $1,200,000 damages for its bankruptcy, charging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, the jury was given the case this afternoon at 4 o'clock. At 10:30 the jurors retired, no verdict having been reached. The case is in the Federal Court before Judge H. G. Connor and has lasted a month.

The jury remained in conference tonight until 10:30 o'clock when it reported its inability to reach a verdict tonight and were escorted to a hotel for the night. There is no indication of how they stand. The impression is strong and is growing that the probability is for a mistrial.

It required all the forenoon and until 1:30 P. M. for ex-Governor Aycock to complete the summing up of the case for the defendants, and thereafter the court took a recess to 3 o'clock when Judfe Connor entered upon the delivery of the charge to the jury. This comprised 48 typewritten pages and reviewed the whole scope of the facts and the law in the case. There are three issues:

"1. Have the defendants or either of them and, if yes, which defendant injured plaintiff corporation in its business or property, by making any contract or engaging in any combination in the form of a trust, or otherwise, or conspiracy, in restraint of trade or commerce among the several States or foreign nation?

"2. Have the defendants or either of them, and if yes, which defendant injured the plaintiff corporation in its business or property by monopolizing or attempting to monopolize or combining or conspiring with any ther person or persons to monopolize any part of the trade or commerce among the several State or foreign nations?

"3. What damage, if any, has plaintiff sustained?"

INCOME TAX APPROVED.

New York Assembly Voted to Ratify Proposed Amendment.

Albany, July 12.—New York State's approval of a Federal income tax was given this afternoon when the Assembly adopted by a vote of 91 to 42 the resolution ratifying the proposed amendments to the United States constitution. The Senate several weeks ago approved the measure. Only one Democrat broke away from the party pledge to support the resolution, and nine Republicans voted aye despite the protests of their leaders.

Republican opponents declared that New York State would suffer at the hands of the Western and Southern States, which "had put their heads together indirectly to manufacturing and business States what they couldn't do directly."

"A tax on incomes from whatever source derived," Republican Leader Merritt said, "will act in a manner detrimental to the securities of this State. The Western States need money for improvements and they propose to reach for it where it is. I don't like to see New York delivered, bound hand and foot, to a sister State."

Pants, King Pants for boys, the $1 pant for 79c at Fuchs' Big Sale **

COTTON AVERAGES TAKE FIRST PLACE

Lemons Second and Oranges Third Accoreing to Bureau of Statistics.

GROWING CROP CONDITIONS

Wheat Crop Seems Somewhat Larger—Other Crops Accounted for in Report—General Review of Situation.

Washington, July 12.—Cotton showed the highest average growing condition of any crop on July 1 with lemons and oranges ranging second and third, In its general review of the crop conditions for June the Bureau of Statistics of the Department for growing crops in most parts of the nited States. The aggregate condition of all crops on July 1 was 10.7 per cent. below the average condition, where as on June 1 conditions were only 2.8 per cent. under average.

Comparison of the condition of various crops on July 1 with their average growing conditon on July 1 of recent years (past ten years for most crops), is shown as follows:

(100 representing average conditions as normal):

Cotton, 110.2; lemons, 102.2; oranges, 100.5; rice, 99.0; beans (dry), 98.1; apples, 97.6; pears, 96.3; grapes, 96.1; peanuts, 96.0; raspberries, 94.9; corn, 94.6; canteloupes, 94.4; Winter wheat, 94.3; sugar cane, 94.1; rye, 93.6; lima beans, 92.3; flax, 92.1; watermelons, 91.6; tomatoes, 90.9; alfalfa, 90.8; all wheat, 89.6; onions, 88.9; sweet potatoes, 88.3; sorghum, 88.0; blackberries, 87.9; hemp, 86.2; cabbage, 85.0; tobacco, 84.4; potatoes, 84.1; Spring wheat, 84.1; broom corn, 82.2; barley, 82.0; oats, 79.7; timothy, 76.1; pasture, 75.9; peaches, 75.6; hay all, kinds, 74.7; kaffir corn, 74.6; clover hay, 72.2; millet, 69.1.

The above figures relate only to relative growing conditions, not taking into account changes in acreage. Taking into account both acreage and conditions, indications are that the wheat crop will be 1.4 per cent. larger than the average production of the past five years; corn 4.96 per cent. larger; oats 12.3 per cent. less; barley 11.6 per cent. less; potatoes, 10.8 per cent. less; tobacco, 22.7 per cent more; rice 5.8 per cent. more than the average production of the past five years.

The average weight of wool per fleece this year is 6.8 pounds compared with 6.7 last year and 6.5 the average of the past ten years.

HOKE SMITH WAS ELECTED

Will Serve Georgia As Governor Until Next December.

Atlanta, Ga., July 12.—By a vote of 40 more than the required majority of the Legislature, Gov. Hoke Smith today was elected United States Senator to fill out the unexpired term of the late Senator A. S. Clay. At the same time Governor Smith made it clear that he intended to continue to serve as governor at least during the life of the present Legislature.

Following Governor Smith's announcement that he would not go to Washington at once to take his seat as senator, reports were current that Senator J. M. Terrell, the ad interim appointee, would resign at once, but this could not be confirmed.

With the settlement of the senatorial race interest has turned to the gubernatorial contest. Great pressure is being brought to bear upon ex-Gov. J. M. Brown, Governor Smith's predecessor, to become a candidate. In addition nearly a dozen other prominent politicians of the State are being mentioned as probable candidates. Governor Smith declared today that he had strong hopes that an anti-lobbying bill would be passed by the present session and that he would hate for any one else to have to approve such a measure after he had fought for it so strongly during his first term as Governor. He said it was his intention not to leave Georgia until next December.

MONEY TO PROSECUTORS.

Government Paid Out Over Three Millions in Ten Years.

Washington, July 12.—The government paid to "Special" assistant prosecutors $1,161,483 from 1900 to 1911, in addition to $2,345,035 in salaries, to the regular assistants during the same period, according to a report furnished the House Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Justice today. The Committee was inquiring again into the cost of the "trust busting" campaign of the government but the figures supplied by the Department of Justice were substantially the same as those recently made public. The figures showed, among other things, that Frank B. Kellogg had not only been paid $59,000 as special counsel in the Standard Oil and other cases, from September 30, 1907, to February 2, 1911, but had spent more than $22,000 in less than three years, while "special consel" J. B. McReynolds received $64,000 for his services in the tobacco and anthracite coal carrying railroad cases.

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At New York, 4; Pittsburg, 3.
At Brooklyn, 5; Chicago, 3.
At Philadelphia, 4; Cincinnati, 6.
At Boston, 6; St. Louis, 13.
Second: Boston, 6; St. Louis, 6. (Called end of 10th, darkness).

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	45	29	.608
Philadelphia	46	31	.597
New York	46	31	.597
Pittsburg	43	32	.573
St. Louis	43	32	.573
Cincinnati	32	42	.432
Brooklyn	28	47	.373
Boston	18	57	.240

Baston, July 12.—St. Louis won the first game this afternoon by hard hitting but Boston made an uphill fight in the second and tied the score in the eighth inning, the contest being called at the end of the tenth, without either team making an additional run. The batting of Evans, Mowrey and Oakes were features of the first game, and in the second two throws to the plate by Ellis for put-outs cut off that number of runs.

Boston .....000 020 301— 6 9 3
St. Louis .....400 130 122—13 17 5

Perdue, Brown and Kling; Sallee and Bresnahan; time 1:45; umpires Klem and Brennan.

Second game:
Boston .....011 110 0110—6 15 2
St. Louis .....400 001 0100—6 8 3

McTigue, Griffin, Mattern and Kling; Harmon, Geyer and Bliss; time 2:23; umpires Brennan and Klem.

Brooklyn, July 12.—Brooklyn hit Reulbach hard in the first inning of today's game and before the locals had been retired sent three men across the plate. The Cubs were never able to catch up, as Brooklyn scored twice again, winning by a score of 5 to 3.

Brooklyn .....301 000 01x—5 11 0
Chicago .....011 000 001—3 9 2

Reulbach and Archer; Knetzer and Bergen; time 1:45; umpires Eason and Johnstone.

New York, July 12.—Hendrix gave five bases on balls in the first inning of today's game and forced over two runs. Pittsburg tied the score in the sixth on a couple of home runs and a single, but the Giants won in the ninth on a hit by Devore. Wagner's fumble and a fielder's choice.

Pittsburg .....000 003 000—3 9 1
New York .....200 010 001—4 9 1

Steele, Hendrix, Ferry and Gibson; Marquard and Myers; time 2:20; umpires Frary and O'Day.

Philadelphia, July 12.—Cincinnati hit Burns' delivery hard today and by knocking him off the rubber in four innings, won the game. Luderus' home run drive was one of the longest ever seen at the park. Umpire Finneran, assaulted by outfielder Magee last Monday, was able to officiate today on the bases.

Cincinnati .....030 300 000—6 12 0
Philadelphia ....100 100 002—4 10 0

Suggs and McLean; Burns, Beebe and Moran; time 2:10; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Cleveland, 4; Washington, 3.
At Detroit, 9; Philadelphia, 0.
At St. Louis, 2; New York, 12.
At Chicago, 6; Boston, 2.
Second: Boston, 1; Chicago, 2.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	53	24	.688
Philadelphia	49	27	.645
New York	41	35	.539
Chicago	40	37	.533
Boston	40	38	.513
Cleveland	38	42	.475
Washington	27	51	.346
St. Louis	20	56	.264

Cleveland, July 12.—Cleveland defeated Washington 4 to 3, overcoming Washington's lead which was caused by Cleveland's poor support of Gregg. Elberfield's fielding and catches by Graney and Birmingham featured.

Cleveland .....000 102 01x—4 10 3
Washington ....200 100 000—3 7 1

Gregg and Fisher; Groom and Henry. Time 1:30. Umpires Mullin and Evans.

Detroit, July 12.—Donovan held Philadelphia to four scattered hits today and the world champions were shut out for the third time within a week. The score was 9 to 0. Detroit hit Krause hard and he lasted three innings; Martin, a recruit, replaced him. In the first inning Cobb got a base on balls and stole second, third and home.

Philadelphia ....000 000 000—0 4 4
Detroit .....212 020 20x—9 10 0

Krause, Martin and Thomas and Livingstone; Donovan and Stanage. Time 1:42. Umpires Perrine and Dineen.

Chicago, July 12.—Chicago won both games today from Boston. The first game went to the locals in the third inning, when three hits, a base on balls and four stolen bases gave them a commanding lead. Two hits, an error and Bodie's timely single gave them the second game.

Chicago .....204 000 00x—6 6 1
Boston .....020 001 000—3 6 1

Lange and Sullivan; Garger, Hall and Carrigan. Time 1:42. Umpires Egan and Sheridan.

Second game:
Chicago .....000 002 00x—2 9 2
Boston .....100 000 000—1 6 2

Young and Payne; Cicotte and Carrigan. Time 1:45. Umpires Egan and Sheridan.

St. Louis, July 12.—Bunching hits with errors New York had an easy time winning the second game of the series with the home team today by the score of 12 to 2. Caldwell gave only two hits until the eighth inning when the locals scored their runs on a base on balls and a double. Hartzell featured with the bat, hitting in seven runs and scoring twice himself.

St. Louis .....000 000 020— 2 2 5
New York ....004 000 350—12 15 1

Pelty and Krichell; Caldwell and Blair. Time 1:50. Umpires Connolly and O'Loughlin.

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Eastern League.
At Jersey City 0; Baltimore 4.
At Newark 3; Providence 4.
At Rochester 8; Buffalo 3.
At Toronto 5; Montreal 2.
2nd: Toronto 5; Montreal 7.

South Atlantic League.
At Augusta 1; Albany 7.
At Savannah 0; Macon 3.
At Columbia 5; Columbus 0.
At Charleston 2; Jacksonville 6.

Southern League.
At Atlanta 1; Memphis 4.
2nd: Atlanta 2; Memphis 4.
At Birmingham 2; New Orleans 1.
At Montgomery-Mobile, rain.
At Nashville 4; Chattanooga 3.
2nd: Nashville 6; Chattanooga 1.

American Association.
At Minneapolis 5; Milwaukee 4.
At Louisville 3; Columbus 4.
At St. Paul 6; Kansas City 7.
At Toledo 1; Indianapolis 9.

Virginia League.
At Lynchburg 2; Petersburg 3. (12 innings.)
2nd: Lynchburg 4; Petersburg 3.
At Roanoke 2; Richmond 5.
At Danville 9; Norfolk 7.

Carolina Association.
At Greensboro 5; Anderson 1.
At Spartanburg 0; Winston-Salem 2.
At Greenville 8; Charlotte 8 (called 8th inning to catch train.)

Appalachian League.
At Johnson City 1; Cleveland 3.
2nd: Johnson City 2; Cleveland 1.
At Bristol 5; Morristown 16.
2nd: Bristol 5; Morristown 4.
At Asheville 1; Knoxville 0.
2nd: Asheville 6; Knoxville 5.

FOURTEEN WRECK VICTIMS.

More Bodies Found in Debris of Federal Express.

Bridgeport, Conn., July 12.—Shortly before the sun set upon what remains of the debris of the ill-fated Federal Express of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad wreck at the viaduct here Tuesday morning, the body of the last victim was taken out and identification was made of all of the 14 who lost their lives. The last body recovered was that of Sylvester Bennett, of Washington, D. C.

The body of Mrs. Virginia Palmer, of Richmond, Va., was identified by her son, M. P. Waddy.

At nightfall the masses of splintered wood and twisted iron and steel had been so thoroughly sorted out as to remove all possibility of there being other bodies in the wreckage.

In the wreckage were found many small articles, purses, ties, stick pins and the like, while the railroad police are reported to have a purse containing $1,500. In a coat, belonging to William Saunders, one of the victims, were found a pair of eye glasses unbroken and a pocket full of cigars without even the wrappers broken. In one Pullman was an electric chandelier with the bulbs all in place and unbroken.

FOUR MILES ABOVE EARTH.

Lieut. Hart, of St. Louis, Tells of Aerial Voyage.

Chicago, July 12.—Details were obtained today of the trip of the balloon St. Louis IV., in charge of Lieut. Frank P. Lahm and Lieut. J. P. Hart, which left Kansas City at 4:59 P. M. Monday and landed at Lapaz, Ind., 16 miles from South Bend, at 4:15 P. M. on Tuesday. The balloon St. Louis IV., represented the aeronautic corps of the National Guard of Missouri.

Lieut. Hart said: "We made the trip in record breaking speed and were between 16,000 and 22,000 feet from the earth during the entire journey. Our voyage was anything but pleasant.

"Soon after leaving Kansas City on Monday afternoon we encountered a series of thunder storms, which made it necessary for us to rise above the clouds to get away from the rain. The storm seemed to follow us all through Missouri and Illinois. We crossed the Mississippi river early Tuesday morning.

"Our balloon behaved handsomely under the circumstances, although we were kept busy all the time. We never saw any of the other balloons after leaving Kansas City. We landed without mishap in a large field and slept last night in a farm house. The highest altitude we reached was 22,000 feet."

RULE ON NEGRO IN SLEEPER.

Can't Stay in Pullman With Whites, Says Shreveport Judge.

Shreveport, La., July 12.—That a negro woman can not occupy a berth in a sleeper car where there are white passengers, even as a maid, in this State, has been ruled by Judge Blanchard in the Police Court. Two negro women were taken from a berth of an incoming train at the local union depot here on Monday night on the appeal to the police officers by several white passengers.

A vigorous protest was made to the ejection of the negresses by a white passenger, who claimed the women were traveling as maids to his daughter. These negroes were reluctant to leave their berth, and were escorted to police headquarters in their night clothes before they could be persuaded to don more suitable attire. Judge Blanchard fined them each $25 for violation of the "Jim Crow" law.

GOV. WILSON TO LAWYERS.

Addressed Kentucky Bar Association at Lexington Yesterday.

Lexington, Ky., July 12.—Recommending proposed reforms of legal procedure, condemning what he characterized "new lawyers," and advocating the placing of the profession on a higher moral basis, Gov. Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, tonight delivered his address on "The Lawyer in Politics," before the members of the Kentucky Bar Association, at their tenth annual convention. Gov. Wilson was introduced by Gov. Augustus E. Willson, of Kentucky, and was repeatedly cheered throughout his talk. He severely criticised methods pursued under present-day procedure in the use of involved language in legal instruments and made a plea for the betterment of the profession by the elimination of the unfit.

See the bargains at Fuchs' Big Sale before going elsewhere. **

BIG TRAP-SHOOTING EVENT

Two-Day Tournament Will Be Held Here August 3rd and 4th Under Auspices of the Wilmington Gun Club.

Under the auspices of the Wilmington Gun Club, a registered trap-shooting tournament will be held at its grounds on the suburban line at 17th and Castle streets August 3rd and 4th, and it is expected that some of the best shots in the United States will be present to participate in the two-day event. For the most part these will be professionals in the employ of the different arms and ammunition companies, but there will also be many amateurs who will contest for honors.

Members of the local club expect at least 30 entries for the event and possibly more. It will be the first registered tournament that has ever been conducted in the city, and it will also be the biggest trap-shooting event Wilmington has ever known.

The members of the club are busy making arrangements for the shoot and they expect to have the complete programme ready for publication in a short while. The details have not been arranged yet but it is stated that there will be a number of attractive trophies to shoot for in addition to the $200 added money that will constitute the chief prizes. Half this sum is furnished by the local club and the other half by the Inter-State Association for the Promotion of Trap-shooting.

The shoot will be conducted under the Squier money-back system, which is now used at all registered tournaments. This system designates a special fund created for the purpose of paying back the losses, or a share of the losses, of those amateur contestants who compete in all regular programme events of a tournament and fail to win the amount of their entrance fees less the amount of their targets. All contestants must shoot through the entire regular programme to gain an interest in this fund. The special fund is made of added money contributed to the tournament, from the profit derived from the targets trapped, and from an extra entrance fee of $1 per day charged each amateur contestant who competes in all of the regular programme events each day of the tournament. The system of dividing the prize money does not affect the Squier money-back system. Any balance left in the special fund after the amateurs have been paid back their entrance fees, less the amount of their winnings, if any, is divided among the high gun amateurs who have competed in all the regular programme events. The contestants are not guaranteed that they will be paid back the total amount of their net entrance fees, but this is generally the case, as statistics have shown that where the added money was placed in the special fund there was an amount sufficient to pay back the losses in full and frequently there was quite a surplus, which was divided among high gun amateurs. Professionals are not charged the extra entrance fee of $1, but they are charged two cents for each target, and one-half the amount derived from this is placed in the special fund.

The working out of the Squier money-back system means that the less skillful shot can compete in all regular events of the tournament and have a chance to win something if he is in good form. If he fails to shoot up to expectations his sport only costs him the price of the targets. The more skillful shot has a chance of winning more money than under the old system because of the increased number of entries, making bigger purses to compete for, and the possible surplus from the special fund.

It is expected that the shoot next month will prove a big success and that it will serve to interest more people in Wilmington and the surrounding section in the sport of trap-shooting, which is growing more popular each year.

ICE RIOTS IN NEW YORK.

Increased Demand and Companies Refuses Independent Dealers.

New York, July 12.—Ice riots broke out on the east side today among the poor. Prices have risen from 200 to 300 per cent. because of the hot spell and the increased demand has been so heavy that the Knickerbocker Ice Company refuses to sell to any but its own retail dealers. The independent dealers sell but only at advanced rates.

One hundred men and women stormed the office of the Foster Scott Company, this afternoon yelling "Ice, give us ice." Many had sick children, dying for lack of ice. "Smash the windows," yelled the crowd. Buckets of water from the windows greeted the leaders; but the crowd growing angrier the manager decided to quiet it by distributing tickets which could be exchanged for ice at the company's pier.

Mayor Gaynor took a hand today in the "ice famine" matter by ordering Police Commissioner Waldo, to investigate complaints that the Knickerbocker Ice Co., is refusing to sell ice to the so-called independent wagons. The Mayor adds:

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RACE EVENTS AT INDIANAPOLIS.

All Races Yesterday Were Straight Heats — Winners.

Indianapolis, July 12.—The bookmaker's stalls were deserted this afternoon while the second day's card of the grand circuit races meet here was on, by the order of Gov. Marshall.

Yesterday the space under the big grandstand at the State Fair grounds, where the stalls were located, was thronged with a crowd eager to get their money down on the favorites, but today it was quiet and what betting there was, was done in front of the grandstand in private pools. Considerable money changed hands in this way, but it is said the amount was not to be compared with the betting of yesterday.

The track today was good and the fastest mile of the season was recorded when Zombrewer, driven by Snow, registered 2:04 1-4 in the second heat of the 2:09 pace, the feature event of the day. She took the third heat a quarter of a second slower and was not pushed until right at the finish, when Sir R. pulled up and lost the heat only by a neck.

All the races today went in straight heats, and the only real big surprise on the card was the defeat of the veteran Geers Akar, by Zombrewer, in the feature race. Many had picked the Memphis horse to win the big stake, but the best he could do was take third money.

First race, 2:18 trot, purse $1,000, the Huguenot, B. G., by Chimes, won; Cascade, Ch. H., second; Viola Strong, B. M., third. Best time 2:12 1-2.

Second race, 2:09 pace, purse $2,500, Zombrewer, Wh. M., by Zombro, won; Sir R., B. G., second; Akar, S. H., third. Best time 2:04 1-4.

Third race, 2:25 trot, purse $1,000 Argot Hal, B. H., by Brown Hal, won; Lady Willow, Br. M., second; Dr. Jones, B. H., third. Best time 2:09 3-4.

Fourth race, 2:14 pace, purse $1,000 Peter the Second, B. H., by Mr. Pinkerton, won; Bland Girl, B. M., second; Lon Allen, Ch. G., third. Best time 2:06 1-4.

TURBINE ENGINES FAVORED.

Splendid Performance of the Battleship Utah Gains Advocates.

Washington, July 12.—The performance of the new battleship Utah on her recent trial trips has gone far to strengthen the cause of turbine engines. It may be the result in a revision of the decision of the designers hereafter to install only reciprocating engines on the Utah class ships.

Indications are that for future battleships the Navy Department will look with favor upon any plans from private shipbuilders that contemplate the combination of reciprocating and turbine engines, the reciprocating engines alone to be used at the slow cruising speeds and the combination at top speed.

CAPTAIN TAKES THE BLAME.

Accepts Responsibility for Wreck of the Steamer Santa Rosa.

San Francisco, July 12.—The entire blame for the danger in which the passengers on the steamer Santa Rosa, which foundered last Friday off the California coast, was placed last night upon Capt. J. D. Faria, of the wrecked vessel.

In an interview Capt. Faria declared that he would make no attempt to shift the blame. He maintains that he was in complete command and that messages received from the San Francisco office of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company with regard to the removal of the Santa Rosa's passengers were merely in the nature of suggestions.

TWO GOVERNORS TO SPEAK.

Prominent Jurists Also to Address the Kentucky Lawyers.

Lexington, Ky., July 12.—With two governors and some of the ablest jurists of the South present, the annual meeting of the Kentucky State Bar Association was opened here today.

Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, is scheduled to deliver an address before the association as is also Governor Willson, of Kentucky.

Governor Wilson, of New Jersey, will speak on the "Lawyer in Politics." His speech will be delivered at the opera house tonight.

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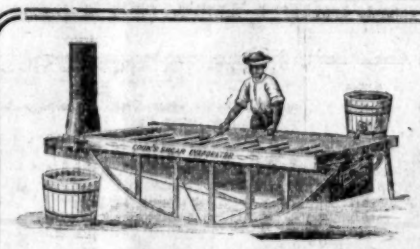

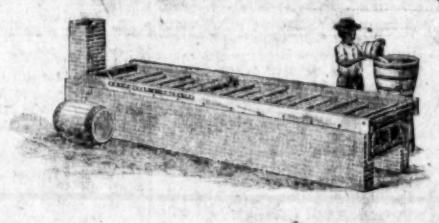

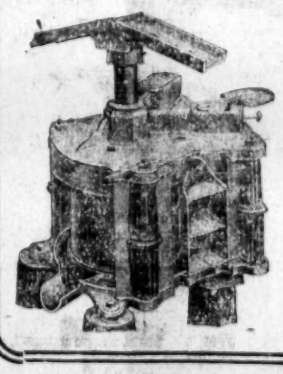

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DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Charter Issued in Pamlico—Engineer Charged With Slander—Pardon Granted—New Country Club Opened—Assessments.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 12.—A charter was issued today for The Pamlico Union Cotton Oil Mill and Warehouse Co., of Oriental, Pamloco county, with $1,000 capital subscribed by O. C. Daniels, J. L. Dawson and others. The authorized capital is $50,000.

O. C. Branch, a locomotive engineer with the Seaboard Air Line, has just been placed under $100 justified bond for his appearance July 17th to answer before Justice of the Peace C. A. Seaparks on the charge of slandering a young woman in the New Hill section. The arrest was made late last night and the bond was given at once.

Because the prisoner has had the misfortune, during the two months of sentence he has served, of having his leg broken in a cave-in of earth while at work, with indication now that there will have to be amputation, Gov. Kitchin grants a pardon to John Austin, serving eight months sentence on the Catawba county roads for abandonment. The application for the pardon is endorsed by the officials of Gaston county where the prisoner is serving sentence.

Friends here regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Mary S. Ferebee, mother of Dr. E. B. Ferebee, of this city, which occurred in Halifax Monday. The funeral was held this afternoon.

The second county to report new tax assessments under the general quadrennial re-assessment of real estate as well as annual assessment of personal property for taxation is Halifax, where Assessor J. W. Pierce reports to the Corporation Commissioner an increase of $2,318,855 in the tax valuations.

The board of directors of the State Hospital for the Insane here, was in session today transacting the routine business of the institution.

The Raleigh Country Club opened its splendid grounds and $20,000 club house, just completed, to members and friends this afternoon through an informal reception during which there was a service of refreshments and a dispensation of cordial hospitality by the club officers and members to their guests. The officers are: W. N. Williamson, president; B. F. Montague, vice president; A. P. Bauman, secretary, and E. B. Crow, treasurer. The club house is a splendid colonial structure with wide verandas that command fine views. The grounds comprise 180 acres of land that afford views that are picturesque to a degree that is a marvel to all visitors. There is a fine lake and there are driveways excellently constructed in every part of the grounds. There is a completed nine-hole golf course with ample ground for the completion of an 18 hole course a little later on, the courts including a number of hazards, including a fine water hazard at the lake. There are also tennis courts and other attractions. The club house and grounds are conceded to be the finest between Baltimore, Richmond and Atlanta and are as attractive and complete as any in the South.

A conference between Governor Kitchin and the Council of State and Capt. George J. Studard, of Washington, N. C., representing the Mattamuskeet Railroad Co., has just resulted in an agreement on the part of the Governor and the council to allow an additional 30 days for the people of Washington to make the arrangements necessary for assuring proper terminals for the railroad at Washington under the pending proposition for the immediate completion of the equipment and the operation of the railroad which the State has acquired a large interest in through the grading of the road with convict labor in exchange for stock. The time for the adjustment of terminal conditions at Washington originally allowed expires within two weeks. Then there will be the 30 days extension of time just granted. It is understood that there is every assurance that the arrangements will be made.

An amendment filed today for the charter of the Carolina Paper Box Co., Winston-Salem, provides for the increase of the capital stock to $50,000. W. D. Harrington is president. The resolution by the directors for the increase was adopted at a meeting of the stockholders in Norfolk, June 22nd.

The North Carolina Historical Commission is taking steps to have quantities of the old and very valuable historical papers that are in a bad state of preservation, reinforced in such a way as to assure their preservation, the process of treatment including the application of a very fine transparent linen material to each surface of the old manuscripts under high pressure that will admit of the free use of the papers without the danger of further wear and assuring their preservation.

There was an extensive but futile search, especially in the neighborhood of the railroad depots today, for Alex Journegan, who is wanted in Johnston county for the killing of Albert Todd, both of Wendell, the killing having occurred last week at a fishing frolic at Richardson's pond, just across the county line in Johnston county. Chief of Police Johnson, of Clayton, was here making the search for the fugitive, he having reason to believe that the man was hiding hereabouts. Journegan cut Todd fatally in the breast and he died Monday at Wendell.

CASTRO NOT YET LOCATED.

Venezuelan Government Has No Knowledge of His Movements.

Caracas, July 12.—The Venezuelan government has yet no definite information of the whereabouts of ex-President Castro. It was officially stated today that a thorough search of the coasts of Goajira peninsular, Colombia, forming the headline of the Gulf of Maracaibo, and the States of Zulia and Falcon, has failed to reveal the landing of any revolutionists.

The Venezuelan consular Willemstad cables that even Castro's friends there have no knowledge of his movements.

Bed spreads, sheets, pillow cases and towels, going at a sacrifice at Fuchs' Big Sale. **

SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS.

Highly Valuable Work Being Done at the University.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., July 12.—Since the opening of North Carolina's first Normal School for teachers at the University in the Summer of 1877, no announcement of work in public education undertaken by the University has been of more significance than that recently made by the University and now being sent out in a special bulletin relating to the proposed enlarged work of the Department of Education in teacher training, which will be offered regularly during the academic year, September 11, 1911-June 6, 1912.

Constant effort will be made by those conducting the work of the department, to lead students to make a reflective study and critical examination of the various public school branches from the viewpoint of the teacher, to study educational psychology, the theory of the school, the principles of scientific method, school supervision and the development of such educational systems of the past and present as have a meaning and a value for North Carolina schools.

By means of a special gift of $40,000 from the Peabody Fund to the University, there will be erected on the campus at an early date a large and well arranged building for the use of the Department of Education.

This building will contain large, well lighted lecture rooms, offices, seminar rooms, a library, a museum, and an assembly hall, and will be furnished throughout with the apparatus and appliances needed in the special work of teacher training.

In the near future it is hoped that a model school building will be erected not far from the Educational Building, so that the work of practice teaching may be nearer and more convenient for students in the Department of Education.

The public school of Chapel Hill will give a fine opportunity for practically testing the methods of teaching that may be presented by the instructors in the Department of Education.

Students will be required to prepare model lessons and follow these models while teaching classes in the village school under the direction and criticism of the faculty.

Special subjects will be assigned to certain students who will be required to watch the teaching of these subjects in the village school from day to day and make written reports of their observations.

In this village school of 200 pupils there will be excellent opportunity for personal study of the course of study, grading, management, and discipline in a typical North Carolina school.

In common with all the students of the University, students in the Department of Education will enjoy the many advantages of University life among which may be mentioned the library of 60,000 volumes; the Bynum Gymnasium; the University athletic sports, the Young Men's Christian Association, the philanthropic and dialectic debating societies, the North Carolina Historical Society, the Mitchell Scientific Society, and many public lectures by eminent speakers, and that most helpful and powerful friendship which follows, in after life, the University student who has daily association with more than 800 fellow students gathered from every section of his native State.

The following requirements will be made of all applicants for admission: (1) The applicant must be 18 years of age, must be of good moral character, and must declare that he wishes to enter the School of Education in order to fit himself to teach in the schools of the State; (2) He must present a first grade certificate signed by his county superintendent, or must present a certificate of graduation from an accredited four years State High School.

By an act of the Legislature in 1887, free tuition is given to candidates for the ministry, to the sons of ministers, to young men under bodily infirmity, to teachers, and to young men preparing to teach.

The courses of study are arranged to meet the needs of two classes: (1) Those teachers who hold a first grade teacher's certificate and who desire to prepare to do better work in the public schools; (2) Such young men of good character, capacity, and studious habits as wish to receive professional training for successful work as teachers in either the elementary public schools or the public high schools and academies of the State.

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NEWS IN COLUMBUS.

Negro Released—Personal Notes—Dry Weather Does Damage.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., July 12.—The negro arrested for Charley Purdy, charged with the killing of another colored man named William McCoy, at Honey Hill three years ago, was yesterday released from jail, it being found that the prisoner was not the man wanted.

The dry weather is beginning to tell on crops, and especialy corn just beginning to shoot. While as a general thing, there are unusually good crops over the county, there are spots that have suffered severely. Farmers are this week beginning to gather bottom leaves from tobacco, but the market will not open before August 1st. The estimate for this county is about 40 per cent. of an average crop.

Mrs. M. F. Watkins, who has been so very sick, is improving. She is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mills, in Whiteville.——Miss Mary Ricks, who taught in the Whiteville High School for two years, is on a visit to Mrs. Burkhead. Miss Ricks has been elected to the chair of mathematics at St. Mary's School in Raleigh, and will take up her duties there this Fall.——Prof. J. F. Jernigan, principal of the Marietta High School of Robeson county, will open a Summer school at Cerro Gordo.

Miss Sarah Burkhead, stenographer in the Comptroller General's office, who has been on a visit to her relatives here, left with a party of Raleigh friends last evening for Atlantic City, where she will spend a couple of weeks. Miss Burkhead will return to Whiteville and finish her visit before returning to her work.

Mr. W. K. Todd, who has the contract to remodel Col. D. J. Lewis' new residence in Whiteville, began work thereon yesterday. While the work is going on Col. Lewis and family will occupy the house vacated by L. W. Stanley.

SIMMONS ON LUMBER.

Says Circulars Were Mailed From the State Democratic Headquarters

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., July 12.—Chairman Eller, of the State Committee, denies that he made any pledge in the campaign of 1908 about lumber. Senator Simmons says that 20,000 circulars promising the lumber people fair treatment were sent out by him. In June 1909, Senator Simmons on the floor of the Senate read from the circular as follows: "They (the lumber people), may rest assured that the Democrats would not put lumber on the free list, it being a Southern product, unless there should be coupled with it the placing upon the free list of all articles entering into competition with trust controlled articles, as their platform demands and which would tend to largely cheapen the expenses of the manufacture of lumber."

H. E. C. B.

FALL EXAMINATIONS.

Important Announcements by Civil Service Commission This Fall.

Hon. H. L. Godwin, House of Representatives.

Sir:—The Commission has the honor to advise you that a Manual of Examinations has been sent you under separate cover, containing the schedule of the Fall examinations. Examinations for stenographer and typewriter to which women will be admitted will be held at the following named places in North Carolina on the dates indicated: Asheville, September 11th; Charlotte, September 14th; Elizabeth City, September 20th; Greensboro, September 15th; Raleigh, September 16th; Wilmington, September 18th.

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NOTICE.

Richmond, Va., July 5th, 1911.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the S. & W. H. Northrop Lumber Co., Inc., held at its principal office in Richmond, Va., on this date, Mr. James L. Robertson, having disposed of his entire stock holdings in the Company, tendered his resignation as Vice-President and Treasurer, to take effect at once. Mr. Robertson's resignation was accepted with regret, and Mr. C. Miller Hughes was elected to fill the office of Vice-President and Treasurer for the unexpired term.

At the same meeting it was likewise resolved to discontinue the Company's branch office at Wilmington, N. C., from and after this date, and to dispose of the good will of the business heretofore conducted through that office to the Northrop Lumber & Export Company (James L. Robertson, Proprietor), by whom the said business will hereafter be continued at the old stand as in the past.

In publishing this notice we wish to bespeak for the new concern the same co-operation and support that has been so long accorded to this company and its predecessors, and to express the hope that the former customers of our Wilmington office will continue to place a liberal share of their patronage with our successors, the Northrop Lumber & Export Co.

All the outstanding claims of every kind against the S. & W. H. Northrop Lumber Co., Inc., should be forwarded at once to No. 320 S. 9th st., Richmond, Va., for settlement.

All claims due the S. & W. H. Northrop Lumber Co., Inc., up to July 1st, 1911, are to be paid to the Northrop Lumber & Export Co., or James L. Robertson.

S. & W. H. NORTHROP LUMBER CO., (Inc.)

By Joseph H. Gordon, Secretary.

Wilmington, N. C., July 6th, 1911.

In connection with the above, we merely wish to add that we will use our best endeavors to handle with promptness and dispatch any and all business that may be entrusted to us, and will greatly appreciate your inquiries and orders.

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DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, 12:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. (Leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, *5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:00 A. M.
No. 64, 15:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, 16:50 P. M.
No. 48, *8:00 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, *6:15 P. M.
No. 53, *8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville, Sanford and Greensboro.	No. 52, *8:05 P. M.
No. 55, *3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, *1:40 P. M.
No. 62, 13:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, *6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, *10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 42, *7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, *9:45 A. M.
No. 57, *7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, *8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. x Sunday only. a Daily except Monday.

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To the Beach SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT JUNE 3RD, 1911.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:54 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8 A. M. to 1 P. M., and from 2 P. M. to 7 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	
12:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.		11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.	15:50am	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Washington, N. S. R. R.	10:50am	2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	3:35pm	8:00am

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Lv. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	*3:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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No. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet, and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York, and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:30 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:50 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 39, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman service between Wilmington and Atlanta, leaving Wilmington No. 39, 3:40 P. M.; arriving Atlanta No. 41, 6:15 A. M.; No. 38; leaving Atlanta, 9:55 P. M.; arriving Wilmington, No. 40, 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman Service on trains 44 and 45, between Wilmington and Charlotte. Car open at Union depot for passengers, at 10 o'clock P. M.

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	6:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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Thursday, July 13, 1911.

Investigation, initiative, referendum and recall.

A small snow storm would be worth watching during this kind of July weather.

When a letter disappears mysteriously, it is a sign that there is something in it.

The naked truth is the only thing that would shock Washington during weather like this.

All men are created free and equal and remain that way till they get tired of it and take a notion to get married.

A man's eligibility to the Presidency includes many things, among which is whether he can prove that he hasn't any brother.

It is announced that owing to the drought, Raleigh will have to economize on her water supply. Begin first by reducing the consumption wasted as a chaser.

The greatest wrong a newspaper can do to a politician these days is to unwittingly class him as a conservative. No man who wants an office will rest under the opprobrium of being safe and sane.

If you find a letter signed "Dick," save it for a certain investigation going on in Washington, that is, unless you are a friend to Dick Ballinger or Dick Ryan. Don't burn it for it is said to be sufficiently illuminating without consigning it to the flames.

Let us pause long enough in swatting the fly to view with alarm the unsanitary cat sprawled out over watermelons in the display window of a Wilmington store, or to watch a couple of dirty kittens romping over a vegetable stand. We have seen both, but we did not buy a watermelon or any eatables.

The defeat of Senator Simmons' amendments to the reciprocity bill, indicates what is about to happen to the farmers' free list. Senator Simmons' amendments as well as the Democratic free list bill, aim at the same purpose—to get rid of the protective tariff on manufactures not included in the reciprocity treaty with Canada. It will be found that the protected interests have kept the administration measure from being amended. The precise reason why no amendments were wanted is that it had been detrmined by the Republican administration and its advisers that no further inroads on protection would be allowed. Good-bye, farmers' free list!

The reason a bachelor looks gloomy is because he is sorry he has thrown away his time remaining single. In order for a man to be a live wire it is necessary to be in touch with some magnetic force that will make it lively for him. No woman will permit a man to be an "old stick" so long as she is able to keep him stirred up. Some people don't know what women were made for, but they were made to keep it from getting dull.

Says the Durham Herald: "While this town and county shows a fair increase in taxable values it is perhaps a fact that we are worth twice what we are credited with on the books." Sure! We all understand that among ourselves. No one for a moment should think our property isn't worth any more than the picayune amount we swear to when we "give in" our property for taxation. It should not be overlooked that the sworn value of the property in our cities and counties is not its actual value by a jug full. However, the joke is on the property owners for giving in bankruptcy valuations in the face of prosperity.

TWO THINGS FOR COMMERCE

There are two exceedingly necessary things for increasing commerce—a navigable ocean channel for vessels of large draft, and the water terminals where such ships can discharge or take on cargoes. When a port gets to the condition when its expanding commerce reaches the point where there are no terminal facilities to accomodate it, the jig is up so far as a greater development of commerce is concerned.

A navigable channel may be 30 feet deep and 300 feet wide and capable of no end of ocean commerce, but if the water, rail and warehouses terminals are lacking, commerce will come to a standstill under the force of circumstances. That is simply inevitable. When a port gets to the condition that its terminals cannot accommodate the traffic, there isn't any use for any increase of commerce or any further expenditure on the channel and harbor. When we see the limit reached as to terminals and it is desired to increase the commerce of the port, we have only one thing to do to meet the crisis and that is to establish an adequate terminal system that will make commerce grow.

Charleston is up against the terminal barrier to commerce of a certain kind and so is Wilmington in a somewhat different particular. Wilmington's import business has outgrown her terminal and warehouse facilities, and, therefore, there is a halt in her largely increased commerce of that kind Collector Keith made that plain in his recent report when, in spite of an increase of 37 per cent. in imports over last year, he called attention to the fact that considerable other import business was turned away from Wilmington for lack of terminal facilities. As a matter of fact, if we had adequate terminals, instead of a gain of 37 per cent. we would have witnessed a gain of double that.

Business tendered simply had to be sent to another port, and instead of complacently receiving the information we should view it with all sorts of alarm. Unless we get alarmed we won't get a move on us, and if we are in earnest about building Wilmington we would get busy on the vital and imperative necessity of municipally owned terminals.

Wilmington's three chief assets capable of being enlarged for city building are commerce, manufacturing and the attraction of home-seekers to our fine trucking region. All three are pushing us to the limit. More business along each line is demanding our attention and efforts right now, and without going into the other features of the making of Wilmington, it is only necessary to say that the very first thing knocking at our door without even an invitation is commerce. We should heed the knock, for the Collector of the Port has pointed to the fact that imports were offered and had to be turned away unadmitted. If that doesn't prove that additional terminals are demanded and that we are sleeping on our opportunities, unless we do furnish them at once. we do not understand what is meant by the knocking of opportunity that receives a deaf ear. We write this to again urge action on the part of Wilmington, for there should be no hesitation or delay when an emergency is pressing the port.

Wilmington must remember right now that all the ports are after business, and that the increase of their water front facilities is how they are going to get it. Charleston's commerce has been growing satisfactorily of late, but she sees the inevitable halt for lack of terminals. She has to devise ways and means to get them and in that particular her task is more difficult than Wilmington's. The conditions are different at the two ports, and Wilmington has not the obstacles to municipally owned or controlled terminals that our sister port has to contend against. However, Charleston's business men have gone to work to remove the obstacles, for her business men held a meeting yesterday to take the steps to remedy the situation. We do not know yet what was done, but in yesterday's Charleston News and Courier we find this editorial giving us an insight to a situation warning us that we may as well get ready to meet a similar one in Wilmington:

"The News and Courier prints this morning a story which illustrates how urgently necessary it is that the business men of Charleston shall bestir themselves if the business of the port is to show a continuing expansion.

"During the first part of last April, according to information which The News and Courier has received, the International Kainit Company, of New York, applied to the Charleston Terminal Company for storage room for 100,000 tons of kainit which the International Kainit Company announced that it intended shipping through this port during the coming season.

"One hunderd thousand tons of kainit is more kainit than was shipped through Charleston during the six months ending March 1, 1911. During that period only 89,000 tons were received here.

"One hundred thousand tons of kainit would mean the coming of twenty additional ships from Germany to this port.

"To move 100,000 tons of kainit out of Charleston more than 500 freight cars would be required.The first shipment of the 100,000 tons shipped by the International Kainit Company is now being unloaded in Pensacola. Not a pound of it will be moved through Charleston.

"The Charleston Terminal Company informed the International Kainit Company that it could not furnish the storage room asked for. The opportunity to more than double the shipment through Charleston of this particular fertilizer was thrown away. The situation is a very serious one for the city. While other ports are bending all their energies to build up business, Charleston is turning away business that is begging admission.

"How can Charleston hope to grow or to prosper while it rejects the primary principles upon which all progress is based? It is in the attitude of the farmer who would leave half his soil uncultivated rather than purchase additional live stock, of the merchant who would turn away customers rather than increase his force of clerks, of the newspaper which would refuse to accept additional subscriptions rather than enlarge the capacity of its press.

"How is the problem to be solved? Solved it can be and solved it must be. The natural way would be for the city to take over the docks, but not only is the city already bonded beyond the constitutional limit of indebtedness, but the Charleston Terminal Company has a franchise which puts it in practical control of the situation and which has more than eight years to run.

"It now seems probable that the Philadelphia and Gulf Steamship Company will soon be provided with wharf accommodations. It was the refusal of the Terminal Company to furnish this line with such accommodations which brought about the present crisis. But even though the Philadelphia and Gulf people are taken care of it would be folly in the circumstances to leave matters in such shape that every new company which may wish to come here shall be compelled to go through the same sort of experience.

"They will not be left in such shape if the meeting which has been called for one o'clock today, at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, and to which all the business men of the city are invited, bears the fruit for which the sub-committee which has had the matter under investigation hopes."

Let us recognize that a crisis has been reached in Wilmington when we see import business turned away from our port. We are up against it if we only can get to the point of realizing it and so completely recognizing it that we will get busy right now.

A LAUGHING MATTER.

We enjoy being a Democrat because we can keep laughing at our Democratic aggregated selves for going on so over a 7 per cent. tariff on lumber. That is a good revenue tariff and it is paid by the Northerners who buy Canadian lumber. The New Englanders know who pays the lumber tariff and they will be pleased to know that many North Carolinians favor free lumber so they can buy their lumber just a little bit cheaper—from Canada.

Of course, it is bound to make a New Englander laugh at the idea of getting his lumber without even paying the government a cent of revenue, but the biggest laugh coming to a New Englander is at seeing a North Carolinian willing to pay the tariff tax on hundreds of New England products while raising cain to free New England from paying a tariff tax on just about one or two North Carolina products. We don't know how many North Carolinians of that kind there are, but New England hopes it will be unanimous.

The whole thing is a laughing matter, but the laugh is on the man who has a soft snap and is more than willing to give it away to New England free of cost. Now the time that a New Englander won't laugh would be when a North Carolinian would propose the kind of reciprocity that would give North Carolina free woolen goods in exchange for free lumber. Of course, the whole of New England would laugh at the very idea, and North Carolinians would laugh if the New Englanders were fools enough to give up their soft snap. With New England paying no lumber tax, even for revenue, and North Carolina paying protective tariff taxes on the finer class of cottons and whatever else is made in New England, the laugh would surely and righteously be on the Tar Heel who never took a day off to make a study of the fact that if he pays out more in tariff taxes or benefits than he gets back in kind he would come out at the little end of the horn and drop to the platform with something like 30 cents in his pocket.

This is no tariff article and it's no reciprocity reflection, but it is aimed merely to play a minute with a situation that is too absurd to treat otherwise.

Of course, if the sun were to keep on making this old earth hotter and hotter and then some, this surely would be the place of torment.

CURRENT COMMENT.

It is hardly fair to speak of some of the figures seen at the seashore as bare possibilities.—Charleston News and Courier.

Is North Carolina going to insist on her own views about things, or surrender the right to think for herself entirely to outsiders who make up the Bryan order of political wisdom?—Durham Herald.

A Washington dispatch says that Chinese Minister Chang Ying Tang has gone to Mexico City to which capital he is accredited as well as to Washington. This means, among other things, that the government of China does not yet regard the United States as a first-class power, since it sends to us a minister and divides his time with a neighboring Republic. Great Britain sends an ambassador and he gives us his whole attention.—Savannah News.

It does not become the people of any town to cry "Unclean!" at any other towns which happen to have gone a few points beyond the average allowance of a disease so widely spread though so wholly preventable as typhoid. With low water and flies both making favorable conditions for infection, there are plenty of towns right in this section which may exceed Wilmington's proportion of cases before the Summer is past. We entertain little doubt that some of the smaller towns have already exceeded it and that some of the rural districts have exceeded it still more.—Charlotte Observer.

The women who are members of the Wishbone Club, of Whitehouse, N. J., are determined their village shall have concrete sidewalks. They have found the members of the municipal Council unwilling to spend money for such improvements, and accordingly they started a campaign to raise the money themselves. They have been at work six months, and have raised more than $600. Their final effort in getting money will be made tonight, when they are to hold a fair and bazaar on the Ryman farm. Many wealthy women who have Summer homes near Whitehouse, are interested in the project, and they are doing their utmost to attract as many men as possible to the fair. They hope to clear several thousand dollars, and thus build sidewalks that shall enable them to go shopping in rainy weather without their skirts being ruined by water and mud.—New York Press.

BIG LAND SUIT.

Report of Referee at Asheville—Western Carolina Fair.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 12.—In the case of Rexford vs. Phillips, which involves the title to several thousand acres of land in Graham county, Judge Cline, of Hickory, yesterday notified the counsel in the case that he had made rulings in favor of the plaintiff in the case, or had upheld the conclusions of law reached by Referee Mark W. Brown.

Mr. Brown heard arguments in this case several weeks ago and took evidence and at the conclusion of the hearing his report with the exceptions filed by the counsel for defendants were submitted to Judge Cline and after consideration of the matter Judge Cline announces that the conclusions of the referee are well founded in fact.

The land in question has been in litigation for some time. It was purchased by Mr. Rexford and Mr. Phillips acquired a tax title to it, after which the plaintiff brought suit to have the cloud removed from the title. It is said to be very valuable land, being covered with fine hardwood.

At a meeting of the committee having the matter in charge Monday afternoon, Owen Gudger was chosen as the manager of the Western Carolina Fair, which is to be held at Asheville this Fall. Mr. Gudger accepted the position and will begin to get things in order at once, to go ahead with the fair.

Mr. Gudger is a young lawyer of the city and is well qualified for the place. During the last Congressional campaign he managed the interests of Congressman J. M. Gudger with marked success.

NEW CHURCH AT MONROE.

Small But Handsome House of Worship for Episcopalians.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Monroe, N. C., July 12.—A two-day conference of the ministers of the convocation of the Mecklenburg district of the Episcopal church ended here yesterday with the laying of the corner stone of the new Saint Paul's church. The services were conducted by Archdeacon E. A. Osborne, of Charlotte, assisted by the visiting clergymen. The regular ritual for the laying of church corner stones was used, and the dedication of the house for religious worship was a beautiful ceremony. Rev. Dr. Campbell, of Hamlet, made a short address. This address was a little gem in thought and in expression.

The Episcopal clergymen present were Archdeacon Osborne, of Charlotte, who is at present in charge of the Church here; Rev. Dr. Campbell, of Hamlet; Rev. Walter Smith, of the Thompson Orphanage in Charlotte; Rev. Francis Ball, lay reader and catechist of the Episcopal church at Concord, and Rev. Mr. Harper, of Boston, who is spending his vacation in Monroe.

The new church is a small one, but beautiful in every detail. It is of pressed brick. The ground plan of the building is in the shape of a cross. The seating capacity is 250. The plans were drawn by Wheeler & Stern, architects of Charlotte, and the construction is being superintended by G. M. Tucker, a contractor of this place. It is expected that the building will be completed by September 1st.

CHILD SCALDED.

Serious Accident Near Lexington, N. C., on Tuesday.

Lexington, N. C., July 11.—Little Dorothy Cornell, three years old, was seriously scalded about the head, face and arms at Healing Springs, near Lexington, today. The story, as told by a relative driving into Southmont, was that Mrs. Cornell was bathing Dorothy's head, and by mistake took up a bucket of hot water, thinking it was cold, and poured it on the child's head. She was terribly burned, and a messenger rushed to Southmont for a doctor. It is not thought that the child's injuries will prove fatal. She is a daughter of A. L. Cornell, and a granddaughter of Chief Engineer O. H. P. Cornell, of the Southbound Railroad.

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NEGRO DROWNED.

Parting of Rope Cost Sylvester Bryan His Life Yesterday.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., July 12.—The parting of the heavy rope with which he was to wing a schooner doubtless caused the death of Sylvester Bryan, colored, shortly after 1 o'clock this afternoon, when he fell overboard near Union Point and was drowned before assistance reached him. Bryan was about 17 years of age, and was employed by E. H. and G. A. Meadows, was engaged in towing a large schooner with a launch at the time of the accident. He was standing on the stern of the launch when the hawser parted. This released the launch and it sped forward with so much impetus that he was thrown overboard. He called for help and a deck hand on one of the boats that were tied up at one of the docks in the vicinity jumped overboard and swam toward him. Before he reached the spot, however, the boy had gone down for the last time and although he finally succeeded in bringing him to the surface, life was extinct.

"LEAF HOPPER" DESTROYS CROP

Ruined Snap Bean Crop in Vicinity of Roanoke.

(Suecial to Times-Dispatch.)

Roanoke, Va., July 11.—Information given out by State Entomologist E. A. Back is to the effect that the "leaf hopper," a small insect, has destroyed the snap bean crop in the vicinity of Roanoke, and that the loss to the farmers is estimated at $35,000. Not only has the bean crop been destroyed but other vegetables are being devoured by the pest. The entimologists suggest spraying as a remedy for the trouble.

Bed spreads, sheets, pillow cases and towels, going at a sacrifice at Fuchs' Big Sale. **

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There is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend Upon a Well-Earned Reputation.

For months Wilmington readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills, and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

L. H. Partin, 505 Chestnut St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "I am very pleased to confirm the public statement I gave in February, 1908, recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. I have used this remedy occasionally since then and it has always brought the best of results." (Statement given December 26, 1910.)

The endorsement referred to by Mr. Partin was in substance as follows: "My back was weak and lame and I had acute pains across my loins. The secretions from my kidneys were highly colored and filled with sediment and caused me much distress when being voided. When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I obtained a box from Bellamy's drug store and began their use according to directions. They acted just as represented and drove away all the symptoms of my complaint."

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LOOK! LOOK!

50 head of good work horses and mules for sale or exchange from now till Saturday, July 15th, at Mills' Stables, 116 North Second street. Those remaining unsold will be sold at auction at Mills' Stable at 2 o'clock Saturday, July 15th, to the highest bidder, rain or shine.

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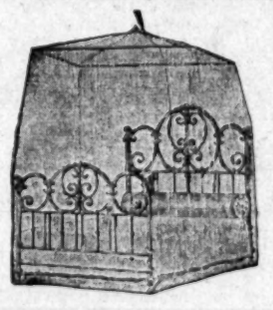

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SUPREME FINANCE COMMITTEE

Distinguished Pythians in Session at Wrightsville Beach Yesterday to Audit Books—At Resort Until Friday.

The annual meeting of the finance committee of the Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias, composed of five prominent members of the order from different parts of the United States, was held at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, yesterday morning for the purpose of auditing the books of Capt. Thos. D. Meares, of this city, Supreme Master of Exchequer, and also to look over the books of Hon. Fred E. Cheaton, of Minneapolis, Supreme Keeper of Records and Seal.

Hon. E. C. Reynolds, of Portland, Maine, chairman of the committee, presided and the four other members were in attendance, they being Supreme Representatives Brig. S. Young, Ada, Ohio; W. G. Edens, Chicago; Geo. P. Tawney, Winona, Minnesota, and R. S. White, Milwaukee, Wis. It did not take long to go over the books of the two officers mentioned and the session was of short duration. The books of Captain Meares show that there is a balance on hand of $69,160.15, which amount is deposited in the banks of Wilmington.

Members of the committee arrived Tuesday and yesterday and went direct to Wrightsville Beach. With the exception of Mr. Young none of the distinguished visitors ever visited Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach before and they were most favorably impressed with the beach. They were agreeably surprised to find that North Carolina had such a delightful seashore resort and as an evidence of the fact that they think it a fine place to spend awhile they will ermain at the beach until Friday. Grand Chancellor C. C. McLean, of Greensboro, arrived yesterday morning and several other Grand Lodge officers and they are also guests at the Seashore Hotel. All the prominent visitors came to the city last night and attended the exercises incident to the installation of Col. Walker Taylor, of this city, as Grand Vice Chancellor of North Carolina.

DEATH OF MR J A KING.

Passed Away at Late Residence Yesterday Morning at 9:30 O'clock.

Mr. James A. King, an esteemed and highly respected citizen of Wilmington for many years, died at his late residence, No. 504 North Front street, yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock, after an illness of several weeks, following a period of several years in which he had been in poor health.

Mr. King was born in Washington, N. C., January 7th, 1833, and was, therefore, in the 78th year of his age. He came to Wilmington early in his life and has made this city his home ed with commendable bravery as a ed with commendabel barvery as a member of the Tenth North Carolina regiment, under command of Col. S. B. Poole and Capt. Cogdell. He was a member of Cape Fear Camp, United Confederate Veterans.

For the past 40 years Mr. King had been in the service of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad in the capacity of a car inspector. His close attention to his duties and the efficient way in which he performed them won for him the esteem and regard of his associates and the officials of the corporation.

Mr. King had the distinction of being the oldest member of Neuse Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F., of Goldsboro.

The deceased is survived by one brother, Mr. Edward King, of Salisbury, and by six children, E. B. King and Miss Jennie King, of Wilmington; Mrs. B. J. Hughes, of Norfolk; Mrs. G. C. Crone, of Goldsboro; Mr. R. O. King, of Florence, S. C., and Mr. S. A. King, of Atlanta. He is also survived by fourteen grandchildren, nearly all of Wilmington. The bereaved ones have the sincere and heartfelt sympathy of their many friends.

The funeral will be held from Grace Methodist church this morning at 9:30 o'clock. Rev. John C. Wooten, the pastor, will conduct the service. Interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

All Odd Fellows of the city are requested to attend the service at the church at the cemetery the Odd Fellows will conduct the committal service in accordance with their solemn and impressive ritual.

MR BELLAMY TO RUN

Will Make Race for Congress Two Years Hence—Announcement.

State Senator Geo. H. Bellamy was in the city yesterday and on the streets, to a number of his friends, made the positive announcement that he would be in the race for Congress two years hence to succeed Mr. Godwin, whom he gave his friends here to understand would not stand for renomination but would support him (Mr. Bellamy.) Mr. Bellamy stated that Brunswick is destined to be the gateway of North Carolina and that this district will be the most important in the State requiring representation by some one intimately acquainted with its needs and possibilities. Mr. Bellamy intimated that he would resign as chairman of the Brunswick County Committee and from the State Democratic Committee of which he is a member and would at once get things in line for his campaign for the nomination in 1913.

Mr. Stanford Goes to Cronly.

Mr. H. McC. Stanford, who has been connected with the Swift Fertilizer Works here for the past five years, has resigned and removed to Cronly, where he has accepted the superintendency of the plant of the Acme Mfg. Co. Mrs. Stanford and children have been spending a few weeks on Sullivan's Island, S. C., and will join Mr. Stanford at Cronly on July 23rd.

STRENGTHEN THE NERVES

Take Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

A teaspoonful in a glass of cold water makes a wholesome, refreshing beverage.

$15.00 suits for men at Fuchs' Big Sale, only $8.48. **

ATTACHMENT PROCEEDINGS.

Hearing Today of Motion in Case Against W. A. Brew at Navassa.

Justice R. T. Williams, of Leland, Brunswick county, will today hear argument of counsel on a motion in attachment proceedings brought before him about a month ago by several Wilmington wholesale merchants against W. A. Brew, a young white man, who was in business at Navassa. The claims aggregate about $500 and are for merchandise said to have been purchased from the plaintiffs. The motion is that the sheriff of the county be directed to advertise and sell the property according to law to satisfy the claims. The plaintiffs are represented by John D. Bellamy & Son, Herbert McClammy, Jas. H. Scull and A. J. Marshall, Esqs., while Kellum & Loughlin appear for the defendant.

The papers in the case were placed in the hands of Sheriff J. J. Knox the latter part of May. It is said that Brew heard that papers had been issued for him and thinking that criminal action had been started he left the community and has not returned. The plaintiffs allege that the defendant Brew secretly by night sold and disposed of his stock of goods in bulk to the superintendent of the Navassa Guano Co., who sold the same to Mr. W. C. Lennon, in whose possession the merchandise was found by Sheriff Knox, who seized the property and stored it in another building at Navassa. The plaintiffs claim that under the acts of 1907 such sales are declared null and void and contends that notwithstanding the fact that the property was in the hands of the third or fourth party that it is still the property of the defendant. It is said that the value of the goods is between $500 and $600. After the goods were seized by Sheriff Knox Mr. Lennon purchased another stock and reopened in the same building.

The plaintiffs are J. W. Brooks, Morris Bear & Bro., Geo. Penny and Einstein Bros. Sheriff Knox is said to have found 38 quart bottles of whiskey among the contents of the store.

BLOCKING THE STREETS.

Ordinance Adopted by the City Council in Session Tuesday.

The following is a copy of the ordinance adopted by the City Council Tuesday afternoon relative to the blocking of streets in front of homes where there are severe cases of illness, a synopsis of which was given in the Star yesterday morning:

"1. That the custom of blocking streets which has heretofore been in use within the city, where sickness existed in a particular neighborhood, is hereby prohibited, except in exceptional cases upon a permit from the Mayor.

"2. That in lieu of blocking any street or streets, as heretofore employed for such purpose or purposes, a 'Red Cross' sign board with the words 'Drive Slowly' printed thereon, shall be used by the city to give notice that sickness exists in the particular neighborhood, and such sign board or boards, when placed upon any street shall be a signal for the drivers of all vehicles and the operators of all motor vehicles to pass such neighborhood slowly, taking the oposite side of the street where possible, and for all such drivers and operators to pass such neighborhood with a careful regard to conditions.

"3. Any person wilfully refusing to comply with any of the provisions of Section 2, or any driver of a vehicle wilfully or carelessly driving any dray, wagon, cart, or other vehicle, unless rubber tired, by such neighborhood faster than a walk, or any operator of a motor vehicle making unusual or unnecessary noise with horn, gong, or exhaust on his machine in passing thereby, shall be fined $5 for each offense."

CAPE FEAR OIL COMPANY.

Annual Meeting of the Stockholders and of the Directors.

Following the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cape Fear Oil Company on July 8th, the newly elected directors held a meeting yesterday at which officers for the ensuing year were named. The directors of the company are all well-known local business men as follows: Messrs. J. W. Brooks, W. R. Barksdale, J. W. Yates, R. R. Stone, O. A. DuRant, P. Pearsall and A. M. Hall. The directors elected officers as follows: President, J. W. Brooks; vice president and general manager W. R. Barksdale; secretary and treasurer, J. W. Yates.

The reports of the officers for the year ending June 30th were of a most encouraging nature, showing a steady gain in the business of the company, which is in its infancy in point of age, having been organized only two or three years ago, but its business is of such proportions as to do credit to a long established concern. The business has grown rapidly and steadily since its products were first placed on the market. The company is composed of some of Wilmington's most substantial and progressive business men and it richly deserves the success which it has obtained.

WRIGHTSBORO CHURCH.

Will be Dedicated to Worship of God on Next Sunday.

With the usual interesting and impressive exercises the Wrightsboro Missionary Baptist Church, about four miles from the city, will be dedicated next Sunday. The dedicatory sermon will be preached by Rev. Livingston Johnson, corresponding secretary of the Baptist State Missionary Board, who is one of the ablest ministers in the State, and will be heard with great interest on this occasion. He is expected to arrive Saturday. The dedicatory sermon will be preached at 11 A. M. and in the afternoon there will be a service at which deacons will be ordained. Rev. W. J. Jones is pastor of the church and he invites all sister churches to send representatives. It is especially desired that the pastors be present.

A Peek Into His Pocket

would show the box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve that E. S. Loper, a carpenter, of Marilla, N. Y., always carries." I have never had a cut, wound, bruise or sore it would not soon heal," he writes. Greatest healer of burns, boils, scalds, chapped hands and lips, fever-sores, skin eruptions, eczema, corns and piles. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's.

Boys' Suits, knickerbocker split hip trousers, are all the rage and are on sale now at Fuchs'. **

COLONEL TAYLOR INSTALLED

Inducted Into Office of Grand Vice-Chancellor, K. of P., at Notable Gathering, by Supreme Lodge Officers.

Probably the most notable meeting of Pythians ever held in North Carolina was the gathering in Castle Hall, over the Murchison National Bank, last night, when Col. Walker Taylor, of this city, was installed by Supreme Lodge officers as Grand Vice Chancellor of North Carolina, to which high office he was elected without his consent, at the recent meeting in Asheville, and which leads most certainly one year hence to the office of Grand Chancellor Commander. There were present seven Supreme Lodge officers, including the five members of the finance committee, and two Grand Lodge officers, as well as a large number of prominent Pythians from various parts of the district and from the local lodges.

The meeting was notable in that probably never before have so many distinguished members of the order been gathered together on an occasion of the kind. The gathering was one of inspiration and thouse present could but resolve to go out and work the harder for the great order which they represent. Capt Thos D. Meares, of this city, Supreme Master of Exchequer, which office he has held with conspicuous ability for a number of years, presided at the opening of the meeting. He has been a leading member of the order for a number of years and no one has greater love for Pythianism than he. Capt. Meares made a few remarks in which he spoke of the significance of the occasion, after which he introduced Col. Wm. F. Robertson, of Charlotte, formerly a prominent citizen of this city, who was named as one of the three on the Committee of Notification, and who has himself filled the high office of Grand Chancellor.

Colonel Robertson arose amid the hearty applause of the audience, most of whom are his personal friends. In beginning, he stated that the Committee of Notification appointed by the Grand Chancellor Commander was composed of one lawyer and two ordinary persons; the lawyer failed to show up and the other member, Mr. Smith, being at home, was able to get out of making a speech, and it was left for him to tell how it happened, that is, how Colonel Taylor came to be elected to the office. Colonel Robertson said that he believed that in the future Pythianism would become stronger and the ties sweeter, and to do this it is necessary to have as strong men as there are anywhere. The order in North Carolina has needed a man like Colonel Taylor for the past ten years, but the Grand Lodge let him "bull-doze" it for years and would not have the place. The time came, however, when he was away, and the Grand Lodge got in on the blind side by electing him Grand Vice Chancellor, so that next year he will be elevated to the highest office in the gift of the Grand Lodge. This statement was greatly applauded. He spoke highly of Colonel Taylor as a Pythian and man, and declared that it would be a joy to every one who knew Colonel Taylor that the destiny of the order in this State would be consigned to him. His heart is in the heart of the order, and his life stands out clear and distinct as representative of all that is best. In honoring him the Grand Lodge honored itself. He spoke of the unanimity that prevailed when Colonel Taylor was elected by a rising vote to the office, and asserted that no man could have been selected who could so successfully handle the affairs of the order next year. He was certain that Colonel Taylor, when elected to the office of Grand Chancellor, will take the reins and drive Pythianism on to a glorious success. Colonel Robertson made a fine address, and was heard with peculiar interest by all present.

Colonel Taylor Accepts.

Following the official notification of his election to the office, Colonel Taylor was presented by Captain Meares in a few remarks. Colonel Taylor was greeted by a salvo of applause. He said that his friends had been kind enough for the past ten years to urge him to accept the office, but that he never expected to hold an office in the order in the State, for he had rather work in the ranks. The recent meeting in Asheville was the first he had not attended in 15 years, and his friends took advantage of his absence and elected him, then sent him telegrams notifying him of his election. He was sitting in his office when the telegrams began to pour in from Grand Council officers at Asheville notifying him of the action of the lodge and urging his acceptance. The telegrams were read at the meeting by Colonel Taylor and then he asked, "Now, what am I to do? What would you do? If I could follow my personal inclinations, could use my discretion, I would say no." Col. Taylor said that there never was a truer saying than "No man liveth unto himself." No man, he said, can resist the call to duty. He said that he would accept the office for four reasons, which, when boiled down, amount to but one—doing it for Pythianism of North Carolina, for the citizenship of North Carolina, for the two go hand in hand. Col. Taylor then spoke most interestingly of the origin of the order and told most effectively how the fraternity, established at a time when it was most needed, February 19th, 1864, cemented the ties between the North and South making this one great and grand country under one glorious flag. Justus H. Rathbone, when he founded the order he knew he was building and building well. Think what has happened in these few years. A few weeks ago the speaker's father was invited to address his old command upon the occasion of their reunion in Brunswick, but his father could not go, owing to his health and the speaker went instead. He found the flags waving and a United States band playing under the flags. Justus H. Rathbone saw into this good hour; he saw that it would take 100 years to accomplish what has been done in 50 with the order. This, said Col. Taylor, is what Pythianism has done for the citizenship and it came at a time when most needed. In view of all this I cannot say no and go out the back door, and I am prepared to say to you, yes, I will take the office.

Colonel Taylor said that it behooves every young man to think seriously of Pythianism and see if it is not his duty to affiliate with the order. Turning to Grand Chancellor C. C. McLean, Colonel Taylor pledged him his hearty support in making his the banner administration, although his efforts will be aiding in setting a high standard for he himself to live up to one year hence.

Capt. Meares said that he and Past Chancellor John Haar had been named as installing officers, but at the time it was not known that Mr. C. C. McLean, of Greensboro, the Grand Chancellor Commander, would be present, therefore, since the arrangement of the programme it had been decided to turn over to the Grand Chancellor this pleasant duty. Mr. McLean was presented amid hearty applause. He said that it was always a pleasure to North Carolinians to visit the city by the sea; that North Carolina is proud of Wilmington for its past achievements and its present progress, and that every one who comes within her borders are made to feel at home. It is a double pleasure, he said, to be present on this occasion. He was glad to meet so many stalwart Pythians of the first district. Mr. McLean said that when the Grand Lodge elected Col. Taylor it not only honored Col. Taylor but itself as well. Referring to the installation ceremonies, he said that the Pythians were fortunate in having present the Supreme Keeper of Records and Seal and the five members of the Supreme Finance Committe and stated that he thought it proper that they be the installing officers.

The following were the Supreme Lodge officers present and taking part: Hon. Fred E. Wheaton, of Minneapolis, Minn., Supreme Keeper of Records and Seal; Judge E. C. Reynolds, chairman of the Finance Committee; Supreme Representative Brig. S. Young, Ada, Ohio; W. G. Edens, Chicago; Geo. P. Tawney, Winona, Minn., and R. S. Witte, Milwaukee. Following the installation ceremonies the Supreme Lodge officers were called upon for short addresses and all responded, being presented by Grand Chancellor McLean.

Judge Reynolds, who acted as Grand Chancellor Commander during the installation, was the first speaker. He is an orator and he was heard with genuine pleasure by every one within the sound of his voice. He said that it was a great pleasure for him to be present at the meeting, though he came to Wilmington for another purpose. He said that Pythianism has been talked from Maine to California, there is one flag for all, one language for all, one common purpose—citizenship, a splendid thing for which to strive. The speaker said that he was just as proud of being a New Englander as those of the audience are of being North Carolinians, and referred briefly to the great influence of the New England States on the remainder of the country. In conclusion he made a pleasure reference to the reception accorded him in this city.

Supreme Representative Brig. S. Young, of Ada, Ohio, was next presented by the Grand Chancellor. He declared that no one could attend such a meeting and go away without an inspiration, which most of the Pythians always get at such gatherings. The speaker said that the heart of Col. Taylor must have been filled with joy by the sight of so many people in the audience who came out in the heat and by the many good things said of him not only at this meeting, but when the speaker was in this city last year. In conclusion he said that he was delighted to have been present at the meeting.

Next to be presented was Hon. Fred E. Wheaton, of Minneapolis, Supreme Keeper of Records and Seal. After referring happily to the pleasing address of Col. Robertson eulogizing Col. Taylor, whom he referred to as that splendid man, the speaker said that the breeze made him feel like he was in Minnesota and said that he was glad to note in the audience so many men who looked as if they were getting along in years. He said that he was delighted to be in the home city of one of the best Pythians, one of the best men to be found anywhere, Capt. Thos. D. Meares, Supreme Master of Exchequer. The new Grand Vice Chancellor may be a good one, he said, but never better than Capt. Meares.

The speaker echoed the patriotic words of Col. Taylor in referring to the origin of the order, and said he was sorry that he did not have present the book of law used by Justus H. Rathbone, the founder of the order. Mr. Wheaton has just recently received from a daughter of the founder of the order the jewel which her father received from the fraternity. Concluding his entertaining talk, the speaker said that he desired to join heart and hands with other visitors in saying that he had had a delightful time during his sojourn in the city, of which he had heard so much.

Judge R. S. Witte said in beginning his short but interesting talk that when Captain Meares invited the committee down here he stated that its presence would be an inspiration to North Carolina Pythians, and probably cause better work, but after hearing the addresses of Colonel Robertson, Grand Chancellor McLean and Grand Vice-Chancellor Taylor, he thought Captain Meares was holding out false bait, as he did not think North Carolina Pythians need any inspiration from the North. In closing he said he desired to leave with the members this thought:

"If every member of this lodge was just like me,

"What kind of a lodge would this lodge be?"

Supreme Representative Geo. P. Tawney was next called upon by the Grand Chancellor. He said that the weather had been very disagreeable, ever since he left home, and that at times he had thought that Captain Meares should have gone to Minnesota at this season of the year rather than for the committee to have come here, but had he been able to picture the scene he had witnessed at the meeting he would have felt that he was many times repaid. This, he said, is extra compensation for the trip. He spoke briefly of the order in closing.

Mr. McLean stated that he desired in behalf of the Pythians of North Carolina to assure the Supreme Lodge officers that it had been a great pleasure to have them present, and that the bonds which bind the North and South have been strengthened thereby. He then called upon Mr. G. Herbert Smith, of Cronly, a trustee of the Pythian Home, who told something of the institution at Clayton. The home is now open to orphan children and later it is hoped to take care of widows of Pythians who are up in years and unable to provide for themselves. Following the talk of Mr. Smith, the meeting adjourned.

THAT BIG WHITE BUILDING

Robberies Reported Daily

In nearly every issue of our daily papers there is a report of some robbery having been committed. You should take warning from this and stop keeping money at home. How much wiser it would be to deposit it in this bank, where it will be ABSOLUTELY SAFE, AVAILABLE AT ANY TIME and will earn for you

4% COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.....

Your Account Will Be Welcome Here, No Matter How Small.

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For the safekeeping of your funds is as important as saving money. The growth, the policy, and personnel of the management, the capital and earned SURPLUS and total resources of an institution determine its soundness. This Bank has steadily increased its capital and SURPLUS to over $300,000.00; its administration is conservative yet progressive, while its Directors are known for their business acumen and integrity. Its Total Resources are in excess of $2,000,000.00, and it is the oldest and largest Savings Bank in North Carolina.

Accounts from $1.00 upwards are received, 4 Per Cent interest being paid thereon, compounded four times a year.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Co.

HOSPITAL IN JUNE.

Monthly Report Shows Unusually Active Month---Donations.

The monthly report of Dr. R. B. Seem, surgeon in charge of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, shows an unusually active month at the institution during June. The number of patients remaining May 31st was 57 and 131 were admitted during June, making a total of 188. The number of patients discharged during June was 119 and 15 died during the month, making a total of 134. The number of days treatment furnished charity patients was 868 and pay patients 843, making a total of 1,711 days of treatment. The operations numbered 45 and 559 dressings were furnished. The ambulance responded to 86 calls. In the Outpatient Department 28 new cases were treated and 42 old cases were treated, making a total of 70. Dressings on new cases numbered 71, while 107 dressings were furnished on old cases, a total of 178.

The hospital management desires to return thanks to Mr. W. H. Sprunt and the Tidewater Power Co., for street car tickets to the beach for the nurses and to Mr. W. H. Sprunt for money for meals at the beach for the nurses.

DUPLEX TELEPHONES.

Call Number to Have Suffix---New Directory Soon.

With the appearance of the next Bell telephone directory, the call number of each duplex telephone will have a letter suffix either "J." or "L". This change is made by the Southern Bell Company in order to place the party line system in this city on the same basis with the party line systems in other cities.

While it will be necessary to change some of the present duplex telephone numbers, the manager states that every precaution has been taken to prevent any inconvenience, and he declares that the good results, both present and future, will warrant subscribers in extending the company every co-operation and assistance in perfecting these improvements.

In calling duplex numbers it will be necessary to tell the operator the suffix letter. For instance: The correct way to call 1-2-3-J will be to say to the operator, "one-two-three-Party J." On account of these changes it is stated that it will be essential for subscribers to consult the new directory before making a call. The new directory will be delivered this week.

EXCURSION SATURDAY.

Brotherhood of Railway Clerks to Enjoy Their Annual Outing.

One of the most pleasant outings of the season will be the annual excursion of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks to Carolina Beach on Saturday afternoon and evening of this week. The steamer Wilmington will leave her wharf at foot of Market street at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. and the last boat, returning from the beach will be at 10 P. M., reaching the city at 11:15 P. M. A good time for all who attend is assured and the Brotherhood invites all its friends and the general public to join them for the pleasant affair. The fare for the round trip will be only 25 cents.

Pants, King Pants for boys, the $1 pant for 79c at Fuchs' Big Sale **

CREDIT MEN TO DINE.

Will Hold Social and Business Meeting at Oceanic Hotel.

The members of the Wilmington Credit Association will enjoy a combined business and social meeting Friday evening of this week at the Oceanic Hotel on Wrightsville Beach. In addition to the business and social side of the affair a delightful supper will be served. Mr. S. R. Keyes, the secretary of the organization, has completed all arrangements and circular letters of invitation were mailed out yesterday afternoon.

Special cars will be chartered from the Tidewater Power Company and the party will leave the city Friday evening at 7 o'clock. They will leave the car at the Oceanic Hotel and enjoy the splendid supper that will be prepared for them.

After supper the business part of the meeting will be taken up. A feature will be the addresses of several delegates who attended the recent convention of the National Credit Men's Association. After the business of the Credit Association has been disposed of, there will be a meeting of the Bureau of Credits. Many of the members of the Credit Association are also enrolled in the membership of the latter organization.

It is expected that practically all of the members of the two associations will be present to enjoy the social as well as the business features of the meeting.

Washington, June 12.---A bill appropriating $300,000 for the government purchase of Jamestown Island, Va., and to convert it into a National park to preserve the site of the first English settlement in America, was introduced today by Representative Lamb, of Virginia.

A Healthful Old Age for Women

The turn of life is the most critical period in a woman's existence. Owing to modern methods of living not one woman in a thousand approaches this perfectly natural change without experiencing a train of very distressing symptoms.

Those dreadful hot flashes and the faint feeling that follows, sometimes with chills, extreme nervousness and despondency are symptoms of this condition.

Those hot flashes are just so many calls from nature for help. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was prepared to meet the needs of woman's system at this trying period of her life.

If this period is safely passed through the prospect will be good for a long period of sound health and comparative immunity from disease.

Here is Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound may be relied upon at this period:

Alton Station, Ky.—"I want other suffering women to know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. For months I suffered from female troubles in consequence of my age, and thought I could not live. I wrote you and after taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I feel like a new woman. I thank you so much for the good it has done me."—Mrs. Emma Bailey, R. R. No. 1, Alton Station, Ky.

Kewaskum, Wis.—"Your medicine was a blessing to me in my sickness at Change of Life. I cannot describe what I suffered for five long years from headache, backache, dizziness, no sleep, palpitation of heart and irregularities which are common at that period and sometimes continue for weeks at a time.

"I have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in dry form. I am 54 years old and can do all my work."—Mrs. Carl Dahlke, Kewaskum, Wis.

If you want special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Olive Thompson is spending some time in Fayetteville visiting relatives and friends.

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Mrs. A. P. Pridgen and children, of Pender county, are visiting Mrs. Pridgen's sister, Mrs. U. S. Mintz.

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Miss Caroline Constable, of Charlotte, is visiting Miss Elizabeth Pemberton, at her home on Dock street.

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Mr. R. W. Farmer and family returned yesterday after an extended pleasure trip to New York and Philadelphia.

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Mrs. Samuel Seigler and little daughter, Jennie Robertson, are visiting friends and relatives in Whiteville and East Arcadia.

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Mr. Chas. J. Mitchell and niece, Miss Fannie Starr Mitchell, left this morning for Seven Springs, where they will spend some time.

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Miss Kate Montgomery, of Marion, S. C., is the attractive guest of Miss Bessie Gore, at Mrs. Cuthbert Martin's cottage, on Wrightsville Beach.

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Yesterday's News and Observer: "Miss Mary S. Clark, of Wilmington, and Miss Mamie Bryan, of Tarboro, are visiting Mrs. Ed S. Battle.——Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Orrell left yesterday afternoon for Wilmington."

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Montague, N. C., July 12.—The Misses Bullard delightfully entertained Tuesday evening in honor of their guests, Misses Bessie and Manola Bryant, of Fitzgerald, Ga. The evening was spent very pleasantly. Quite a number of games were played after which dainty refreshments were served by little Loretta Montague and Tressa Wallace.

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Mrs. W. G. Webb gave a most delightful entertainment at her home, No. 312 Dock street, Tuesday evening in honor of Dr. Chas. W. Stiles, secretary of the Rockefeller Hookworm Commission, who is at present engaged in research work at the Marine Hospital in this city, and his assistants, Drs. Miller, Leonard and Whitehurst. About eight couples were present and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Delicious refreshments in the form of cooling ices and cakes were served.

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Yesterday's Atlanta Georgian: "Miss Frances Connally, who has been spending some time at Wrightsville Beach, will return home Thursday morning.——Mrs. W. B. Price-Smith, who has been spending the past ten days at Wrightsville Beach, has returned home.——Mrs. John Kiser returned Tuesday from a stay at Wrightsville Beach.——Mrs. Robert K. Rambo is spending some time at Wrightsville Beach.——Miss Alice Muse, who has been at Wrightsville Beach for some time, returned home Saturday.——Mrs. John Oliver and Mrs. T. B. French left Sunday night for Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend several days."

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A merry sailing party was given Tuesday night at Wrightsville Beach in compliment to a number of visitors who are guests at The Oceanic Hotel. After a delightful sail of two hours on the Sound, mid-night lunch was served on Shell Island and those so fortunate as to be included in the list of guests enjoyed a most delightful evening. Among those in the party were: Mrs. J. H. Lewis, Atlanta; Mrs. George Norman, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. Gorman, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Stearns, Atlanta; Mrs. Rex Stafford, Atlanta; Mrs. M. M. Murphy, Atlanta; Mrs. O. H. Miller, Atlanta; Mr. W. S. Reamer, Columbia, S. C.; Miss Bessie Gore, Wilmington; Mr. W. C. Denny, Wilmington; Miss Edith Pritchard, Wilmington; Mr. R. L. Henly, Wilmington; Miss Kate Montgomery, Marion, S. C.; Mrs. L. B. Sams, Atlanta; Mrs. Phil C. Cocke, Charlotte.

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Tuesday afternoon's Charlotte Chronicle has the following, which will be read with interest by many friends in this section of the State: "The music faculty of the new Presbyterian College is to have a valuable addition in Miss Melva Carr, of Rose Hill, N. C., a niece of Mrs. A. S. Cheek. Miss Carr was engaged as instructor of piano under Dr. Chas. Fisher, Saturday by Dr. Caldwell, president of the college. She is not only naturally gifted musically, but has had exceptional training and study. She graduated under Dr. Fisher when he was director of music at the Presbyterian College some years ago, and returned the next year taking a post graduate course under him. When Dr. Fisher went to the University of Iowa, Miss Carr went there and again pursued her study under Dr. Fisher, receiving a second diploma at his hands, also the Victoria diploma. She will be one of Dr. Fisher's first assistants. Miss Carr spent last week with Mrs. Cheek. She left yesterday for Asheville to visit her uncle, Prof. Carr, of the Asheville schools."

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

---Among those registered at the Orton yesterday were Jackson Greer, R. J. Powell and J. R. Maxwell, Whiteville; Howard Mayo, Wilson; B. W. Cullen, Greensboro; Dr. W. S. Rankin, Raleigh; S. H. Glover, Winston; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Glover, Southern Pines; J. F. Parker, Fayetteville; H. T. Peterson, Newbern.

E DINOS CLOSES.

Greek Confectioner Filed Petition In Bankruptcy Yesterday.

E. Dinos, a Greek, who has conducted a confectionary business on North Front street, known as The Orton Confectionary, since last Fall, yesterday filed in United States Court a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. The liabilities are given at about $2,000 while the assets are practically nothing, it is said. The papers will be turned over to Geo. H. Howell, Esq., referee in bankruptcy, by Mr. S. P. Collier, Clerk of the Court, and he will probably take action today. Hon. John D. Bellamy represents the petitioner. The store was closed one day last week for a short time under execution from Justice Harriss' court to satisfy a claim of about $17. Soon after the store was closed the amount of the claim was paid and the business was resumed.

LOCAL DOTS.

---There was a fast game of indoor baseball at the Y. M. C. A. last night between the Senior and Junior departments, the score being 3 to 2 in favor of the former. Batteries: Seniors, Fillyaw and Delamar; Juniors, Lewis and Jones.

---Jerry McGee, a colored porter on the Atlantic Coast Line, was thrown from a train running about 30 miles an hour yesterady, just above Castle Haynes, and very painfully injured. He was brought to the city, where his wounds were dressed.

—A storm sewer of terra cotta pipe is being put down on west side of Third, between Princess and Chesnut streets, under the supervision of Capt R. O. Grant, superintendent of streets. This is badly needed as heretofore water formed a pond at Third and Chesnut streets after every heavy rain.

---Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Walker Taylor and wife to Nora E. Canady, for $100 and other considerations, lot on 10th, 165 feet south of Wooster street, 33x165 feet in size; J. H. Williams and wife to Robert R. Taylor, for $450, lot on Eighth, 132 feet south of Harnett street, 33x75 feet in size.

——Paul Taylor, colored, was arrested last night by officer J. E. Barker, as he was coming out from the direction of Springer Coal Company's yards, near the wharf, with a sack on his shoulder. The negro's actions excited the officer's suspicions and when he stopped the man and examined the sack, it was found to contain coal.

—Among the arrivals at the Southern Hotel yesterday were the following: R. J. Edens, Holly Ridge; R. D. Thomas, Holly Ridge; R. D. Pridgen, Currie; J. R. McFall, Mount Olive; Furner King, Kinston; D. B. Burney, Clarkton; J. A. Hearn, Willard; C. W. Croom, Burgaw; J. O. Powell, J. L. Powell, Whiteville; A. S. Munroe, Laurinburg; W. C. Bonney, Hamlet; J. A. Dew, Currie.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Brown Case Misses Fire Once More. To Come Up Today.

Owing to the absence of one of the State's chief witnesses, the case against Jim Brown, colored, charged with killing John Lane, another negro, which was called in the Recorder's court yesterday morning, was continued until today. A negro in the court room stated that the witness in question was sick at his home. Assistant City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau then asked the Recorder to continue the case and as Kellum & Loughlin, counsel for Brown, made no objection to this, the request was granted. A capias was placed in the hands of deputies with instructions to serve it upon the missing witness and it is very likely that he will be in court this morning.

It will be remembered that Brown killed Lane some time ago and that he was exonerated by the coroner's jury on the grounds that the killing was in self defense. However, Brown was committed to appear before the Recorder's court by Magistrate John J. Fowler. In the meantime Brown has been in jail. Counsel for the State claims to have discovered evidence that was not brought out at the coroner's investigation, which they declare will throw new light on the matter. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., has been retained as private prosecutor and will assist the State prosecutors.

The other cases yesterady were of minor interest. Gladger Brown was charged with assault with a deadly weapon on Annie Howard, and received a sentence of three months on the county roads.

Hans Erickson, Odell Pope and Joe Bluefield paid the costs for being drunk.

The case against Judson George, charged with violating the driving ordinance, was continued.

WILL SOON BE READY.

Distribution of Sanitary Closets Will Be Begun Soon.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, announces that the sanitary closets will be ready for delivery next week and asks that property holders communicate with the health department at once as to the number of closets they will need. The closets will be alloted in the order that the applications are received. The first section of the city to receive attention will be that district bounded by the Cape Fear river on the west, 10th street on the east, Castle street on the south and the Atlantic Coast Line tracks on the north. After this district is supplied other sections of the city will be supplied. The cost of the outfits will be $3 each and the ordinance also provides a tax of $4 per annum, the city assuming the scavenger work.

The ordinance compelling property owners in the city to install sanitary closets becomes effective September 1st and it is stated that it will be rigidly enforced.

Now that the health situation is so much improved Dr. Nesbitt advises people not to suspend the precautions which he has advised. He declares that it is still advisable to boil all water used for drinking or domestic purposes, and he also admonishes the public not to patronize soda fountains that do not wash out their pipes with a solution of hypo-cloride of lime and that do not wash their glasses in running water.

THE HEAT WAVE.

Maximum of Only 88 Yesterday—High Temperatures Tuesday.

While the official reading of the thermometer at the Weather Bureau showed a maximum of only 88 degrees yesterday, many people, on account of the humidity, thought the day the hottest of the season. However, the record in no wise compared with the day before when the maximum was 93 degrees with correspondingly high temperatures throughout the Wilmington district, this city as usual being the lowest maximum. While Wilmington sweltered, for instance under a temperature of 93, Charlotte was experiencing 94 degrees, Cheraw, S. C., 96; Florence 102; Goldsboro 98; Greensboro 97; Lumberton 98; Newbern 97; Raleigh 98 and Weldon 104. There were showers in all districts except Savannah, heavy rainfalls being reported as follows: Aberdeen, Miss., 1.20; Livingston, Ala., 1.20; Waynesboro, Miss., 1.00; Chattanooga, Tenn., 1.00; Texarkana, Ark., 1.60; Greensboro, Ala., 1.70.

THE POLICE EXCURSION.

One of Most Successful Outings Ever Enjoyed by the Officers.

The annual excursion of the city police department was held yesterday at Carolina Beach, practically the entire force taking advantage of the occasion to spend an enjoyable day at the pleasant resort. Most of the officers took their families and the women and children also enjoyed the day. The attendance was probably the best of any excursion of the season, between 800 and 900 people going down on the steamer Wilmington in the morning at 9:30 or the afternoon at 2:30. On the return trip from the beach at 6 o'clock the train had to make two trips to the steamer in order to accommodate the crowd. However, a number stayed until the last trip was made at 11 P. M.

The day was spent in various ways, many going in bathing, some fishing, and a number dancing. One feature of the affair was the fat men's quadrille, participated in by Messrs. John M. Bennett, E. J. Grimsley, Eben Piner and C. S. Burnett. The way in which the heavyweights tripped the light fantastic won for them enthusiastic applause and they were enchored to the echo. While the affair did not partake of the nature of a contest, it was almost the unanimous opinion that Mr. Bennett would have taken the cake had one been offered.

Sergeant H. W. Howell was chairman of the committee on arrangements, which was composed of Officers W. R. Applebury, M. C. Gray, J. S. Lane, Leon George and T. M. Hall, and to this committee is due much of the success of the outing. Officer Lane was secretary of the committee and Sergeant Grimsley and Patrolman Applebury were floor managers.

All in all, the city's finest enjoyed probably the most successful excursion they have ever given and they will take up their daily burden with renewed vigor after the happy outing.

MANY IN THE TOILS.

Constable Savage and Deputy Kelly Round Up a Number.

Tuesday night Constable W. B. Savage and Deputy Sheriff A. L. Kelly rounded up some half dozen lawbreakers on a trip that extended almost throughout the night. The warrants charge various offenses. A number of the cases were heard before Justice Harriss yesterday and the others will come up today.

Walter Murphy, alias "Cricket," colored, is charged with a violation of the prohibition law. Murray keeps a store on Tenth, between Market and Princess streets. It is alleged that he sold whiskey to two men from Delgado. He will be given a preliminary hearing before Justice Harriss today at 12 o'clock. In addition to the charge of retailing, there is also a peace warrant against him, George Wynne being the plaintiff.

Another case of more than ordinary interest is one against Joe Farrow, charging assault on George Farrow. A recent law passed by the State Legislature makes an assault upon a woman by a man over 18 years of age a charge beyond the jurisdiction of a magistrate. This is the first case of the kind here. Farrow was given preliminary hearing and was sent over to the Recorder.

Maggie Highsmith, charged with simple assault, was let off on the payment of costs.

Jim Key, charged with the larceny of a chicken from the Orton Hotel, was dismissed, the charge not being proven.

The case against Will Sentee, charged with assault with a deadly weapon upon D. Riddick, was set for today at 12 o'clock. A peace warrant has also been preferred against Sentee.

MR. T M SAVAGE DEAD.

Well-known Pilot of Southport Passed Away Yesterday.

News was received in the city yesterday of the death of Mr. T. M. Savage, of Southport, which occurred in the morning about 4 o'clock. Mr. Savage, who was 62 years old, was a very prominent pilot. He had only been ill for a short time, old age and paralysis causing his demise.

Mr. Savage is survived by his second wife, and nine children, six by the first wife and three by the second. The children are: Mrs. Johnson, of this city; Mrs. James Guthrie, of this city; Miss Izora Savage, of Southport; Mr. G. S. Savage, of this city; Mr. Albert Savage, of Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Mary Humphrey, of Canada, and Misses Ruth and Ora Savage, of Southport, and a young son, also of Southport, all of whom will have the sympathy of many friends. The funeral was held at Southport yesterday afternoon and interment was made there.

Special Term in Pender.

Sheriff S. P. Cowan has received from Mr. J. F. Johnson, clerk of the Superior Court of Pender county, official notice of a special term of Superior Court for that county. The term will begin Monday, July 17th. There are two murder cases from this county to be tried at the special term in Pender, the Gause case and the case against the negro Ford, who killed his wife. Clerk Johnson asks that Sheriff Cowan notify the local attorneys in the two cases so that they may have their witnesses ready.

Will Meet Here Today.

The Board of United States Engineers will meet in this city at 10:30 o'clock this morning to prepare plans for the locks and dams on the Cape Fear river, between Wilmington and Fayetteville. The board is composed of Col. Dan C. Kingman, of Savannah, Ga.; Lieut. Col. W. E. Craighill, of Baltimore; Capt. Earl I. Brown, and Capt. L. H. Rand, of this city. The out-of-town engineers will arrive this morning and the board will be in session practically all day.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough. I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positvely guaranteed for coughs, colds and all bronichal affections. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bellamy.

MARRIED YESTERDAY.

Young Couple From Southern Pines Joined in Wedlock Here.

At the manse of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Mr. Alfred C. Grover and Miss Ida B. Herrmann, both of Southern Pines, were quietly married, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., performing the ceremony. The young people came here from Southern Pines yesterday morning and secured license at the Court House. After the ceremony they went to Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend some time before returning to Southern Pines. Mr. Grover is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Grover, of Southern Pines, and Miss Herrmann is a daughter of Mr. F. B. Herrmann, of the German Empire. She has made her home in Southern Pines for some time, and it was there that the romance that terminated in the marriage ceremony yesterday had its inception.

Still Another Robbery.

Another of the series of robberies occurring during the past month or six weeks was perpetrated Tuesday night at the home of Mr. D. C. King, No. 607 North Fifth street. Most of the family was upstairs at the time the robbery occurred and Mr. King had left the house for a few moments. During the brief interval while he was away the robber entered through the front door and secured a breech loading shot gun. The weapon was all that was missed. This is the first instance of a theft of this kind recently, money apparently being the only thing in demand in the other burglaries of recent date.

STIMSON LANDS AT JAMAICA.

Secretary of War Spends Short Time at Kingston.

Kingston, Jamaica, July 11.—Henry L. Stimson, the American Secretary of War, arrived here today on the steamship Santa Marta. Accompanied by Brig. Gen. Clarence H. Edwards, Secretary Stimson is on his way to Panama to study plans for the fortification of the canal.

The Secretary visited the various points of interest around Kingston and left this evening for Colon.

New York, July 11.—The inability of Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood to arrive in New York from Washington at 2 o'clock this afternoon held the steamship Ancon, of the Panama line, at her dock here for more than two hours past her scheduled time for sailing. Gen. Wood wired the officials of the line and the steamer was ordered held to convey him to Panama to confer with Secretary of War Stimson, army and navy officials and the Board of Fortifications on plans for the fortification of the canal. The Ancon cleared the bar early this evening.

ROUTS SNAKES, SAVES RABBITS

Farmer Tells of Bunny Fighting Reptile and of Releasing Young.

Cumberland, Md., July 11.—A snake and rabbit story worthy of the season and the weather comes from Knolly Mountain, near this place.

The story goes that while Harry L. Welch was cutting wheat on N. R. Taylor's farm he observed a rabbit apparently engaged in a struggle with a large black snake, that had invaded her home. The snake had swallowed two of bunny's young and was dispatching the third.

Mr. Welch struck the snake a stunning blow, rescued alive the third rabbit, cut the reptile open about eight inches and removed the two bunnies that had been swallowed.

About an hour later he returned and found that the snake was again swallowing the third little rabbit. It did so repeatedly, but each time the little animal came out of the slit cut in the reptile's anatomy.

FUGITIVE KILLED BY TRAIN.

Body of Escaped Inmate of Hospital Found by Posse.

Marion, Va., July 11.—After being chased through the woods all night by a posse, M. A. Allen, a patient in the Southwestern Hospital, was run over by a freight train on the Norfolk & Western Railway, five miles east of Marion, at 5 o'clock this morning.

Allen was doing some light work on the lawn when he made his escape, and a squad of men who went in immediate search failed to locate him. His mangled body was discovered when the search was resumed at daybreak this morning.

This is the first accident of this character to occur at that institution. The coroner will hold an inquest over the body tomorrow.

THE MYSTIC SHRINERS.

Spectacles of Especially Striking Character Yesterday.

Rochester, N. Y., July 12.—Spectacles of an especially striking character afforded entertainment this afternoon and evening for the Mystic Shriners and other visitors here. Chief of thes were the patrol drills this afternoon in a park, when between three and four thousand Shriners in companies marched in mass and gave their distinctive drills. In the massed formation were 84 patrols and 74 of these executed individual drills.

The drills were followed by daylight fire works and beginning at six o'clock, the bands present, numbering a thousand musicians, were massed and gave a concert.

St. Louis, July 12.—E. G. Lewis, until recently publisher of a number of magazines and promoter of enterprises, was indicted by a special grand jury in the United States district court today on charges of fraudulent use of the mails. It is charged in the indictment that by the debenture plan Lewis endeavored to recover in exchange for long time debenture papers securities of his different companies and obligations, most of which were due at early dates amounting to $7,160,000.

You will lose money if you fail to trade at Fuchs' Big Sale. **

DIED.

KING—At his home in this city, No. 504 North Front street, Wednesday, July 12th, 1911, JAMES A. KING, aged 78 years.

Funeral this (Thursday) morning at 9:30 o'clock from Grace M. E. Church; interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends respectfully invited to attend the services. **

..Theatrical..

Every day the Bijou presents amusement that is helpful because every feature is wholesome, either lightening one's troubles with an abundance of fun, teaching a fine lesson with some film with a great moral, or enlarging a person's source of information by means of educational films. However, today the Bijou will go even beyond this and will present something that will not only interest and instruct, but something that will be especially appreciated by the people of Wilmington and that will meet with the hearty approval of the city health authorities. The Bijou today will present a wonderful film showing the life of the house fly and the damage that this pest does and is capable of doing. The habits of the fly and the manner in which this filthy insect spread disease, working in sly way, are vividly shown and every person in this city should see the film. In fact, no one can afford to miss it. But the fly film will only be an extra feature at the Bijou today, which will give much more than usual. The regular programme of late and costly films will be presented, headed by one of the funniest of all pictures, "Mustang Pete's Love Affair." It is a great, big jolly bunch of mirth from start to finish. A film filled with tenderness is also on the bill in "The Old Folks' Sacrifice." It shows how they give up all in order to save a grandson from prison. The music today will be of the most delightful nature.

FATAL AUTO ACCIDENT.

Two Killed Near Hendersonville Early This Morning.

Asheville, N. C., July 12.—At an early hour this morning while three miles from Hendersonville, N. C., an automobile containing several persons went over an embankment and the following are known to be dead and seriously injured:

Miss Lena Bowman, Sumter, S. C.; Robert Bettis, Trenton, S. C. Seriously injured: Miss Mabel Bowman, sister of Miss Lena, Sumter, S. C., extent of injuries not ascertained.

Miss Lena Bowman and Robert Bettis, who were killed, were to have been married within the next few days.

STICKS PIN IN DYNAMITE.

Virginia Woman Loses Finger and is Badly Hurt.

Lynchburg, Va., July 11.—This afternoon a young son of Mrs. Virginia Brooks, who lives in South Lynchburg, finding a dynamite cartridge, ran to his mother, asking what it was.

Mrs. Brooks did not know, but proceeded to investigate with a hatpin.

The cap exploded, blowing the woman's first finger entirely off and tearing away portions of her thumb, second and third fingers. She also sustained an injury to her right eye and right shoulder.

San Francisco, July 12.—Its general program nearly finished, the National Education Association prepared tonight for its annual election tomorrow. The so-called progressives or insurgents tonight expressed confidence that the nominating committee, formally named at tonight's session by President Ella Flagg Young, would choose Carroll G. Pearse, of Milwaukee, for the presidency. Mrs. Young, by custom, will become first vice-president. Eleven other vice-presidents will be named as will be a treasurer.

Guthrie, Okla., July 12.—Mrs. Narcissa Owen, 80 years old, mother of United States Senator Robert L. Owen, died here late today as a result of a fall several weeks ago. She was a Cherokee Indian by blood and had achieved fame as an author and artist. Senator Owen is a native of Lynchburg, Va., having been born there Feb. 2, 1856.

Frederick, Md., July 11.—This city sweltered today under a temperature of more than 100 degrees in the shade. John Pool, a blacksmith, 59 years old, was found dying in a field, under a tree, near Hansonville. He had a sunstroke while at work and crawled under the tree for relief. He expired without regaining consciousness.

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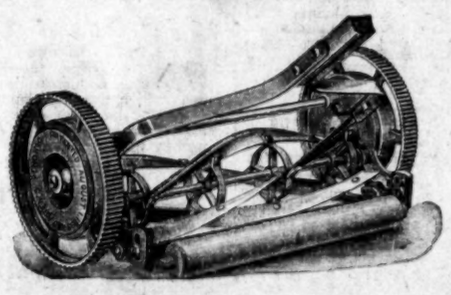

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET WAS EASIER

New Crop Positions Lost Their Advance Under Renewal of Liquidation—General Market Barely Steady.

New York, July 12.—The cotton market was easier again today, with new crop positions just about losing their advance of Tuesday, under a renewal of liquidation, and bear pressure, encouraged by lower Liverpool cables and reports of renewed showers in the Western belt. Old crop positions were pretty well maintained, but the general market was barely steady at the close, and while old crop months were only 4 to 7 points net lower, new crop deliveries showed losses of from 14 to 23 points for the day.

The opening was steady at an advance of six points on July, but generally 2 to 9 points lower in response to disappointing cables and the early weather map suggesting a return of cloudy and showery weather in the Southwest. July soon weakened in sympathy with the later positions and new crop months generally sold off to a net loss of about 15@16 points during the first few minutes.

Around 12.80, however, there was some trade demand, leading bull brokers came to the support of the old crop positions and during the middle of the day prices showed considerable resistance to pressure with July and August recovering to about the closing figures of last night, while following detailed weather report for the Houston district showing a return of high temperatures, the new crop rallied 4 or 5 points from the lowest. Private wires received late in the day reporting showers this afternoon at several Western belt points encouraged renewed selling in the last hour, however, and closing prices were at about the lowest level of the day, on new crop months, with sentiment around the ring very bearish, owing to the prospect of continued good weather and expectations of a favorable August bureau. New Orleans was a buyer here at times during the day apparently on reports of too much rain and boll weevil in the central belt, but the South was considered a seller by balance. Larger English spot sales, and expectations of a further decrease in the local stock before the end of the week probably helped to steady the near positions here in which speculative interest appears to be limited.

Receipts today, 604 bales, against 201 last week and 9,439 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 490 bales, against 1,895 last year, and at Houston, 71 bales, against 176 last year. Spot closed quiet, unchanged; middling uplands, 14.25; middling gulf, 14.50; no sales. Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Month:	Month. Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	14.10	14.10	13.95	14.00
August	13.84	13.85	13.72	13.78
September	13.06	13.05	12.97	12.97
October	12.80	12.90	12.78	12.80
November	12.82	12.74	12.74	12.75
December	12.89	12.90	12.78	12.78
January	12.85	12.80	12.75	12.75
March	12.97	12.97	12.82	1282
May	13.03	13.03	12.89	12.89

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 14⅝; net receipts, 21; gross receipts, 21; stock, 7,715.

New Orleans—Easy, 14⅝; net receipts, 490; gross receipts, 490; sales, 272; stock, 39,694; coastwise, 202.

Mobile—Nominal, 14¾; net receipts, 4; gross receipts, 4; stock, 692.

Savannah—Quiet, 14¾; net receipts, 37; gross receipts, 37; stock, 17,304; coastwise, 511.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 4,556; coastwise, 500.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 428.

Norfolk—Quiet, 14¾; net receipts, 17; gross receipts, 17; sales, 7; stock, 4,534; coastwise, 227.

Baltimore—Nominal, 14; stock, 1,406.

New York—Quiet, 14.25; gross receipts, 203; stock, 108,354; constwise, 326.

Boston—Quiet, 14.25; net receipts, 35; gross receipts, 215; stock, 8,928.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 14.50; stock, 1,274.

Total today at all ports—Net, 604; stock, 194,880.

Consolidated at all ports—Net, 3,334; Great Britain, 4,269; continent, 8,564.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,462,139; Great Britain, 3,250,735; France, 890,561; continent, 3,910,303; Japan, 148,968; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 14½; net receipts, 71; gross receipts, 71; shipments, 177; sales, 20; stock, 11,753.

Augusta — Nominal, 15⅝; net receipts, 122; gross receipts, 122; shipments, 226; sales, 2; stock, 4,915.

Memphis—Steady, 14¾; net receipts, 98; gross receipts, 512; shipments, 491; sales, 100; stock, 30,966.

St. Louis—Steady, 14¾; net receipts, 4; gross receipts, 339; shipments, 1,193; stock, 7,053.

Cincinnati—Shipments, 279; stock, 18,640.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14½; shipments, 60; stock, 4,805.

Louisville—Firm, 15.

Total today—Net receipts, 295; gross receipts, 1,044; shipments, 2,626; sales, 122; stock, 78,130.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 12.—Corn prices soared to the topmost point, so far this season. Buying credited largely to a noted speculator furnished the greater part of the motive power. Highes figures were touched in the last 15 minutes, and there was a bouyant close at an advance of ⅞ to 1⅜ net. Latest figures showed wheat ⅝ up to ⅛@¼ off; oats, with ⅝@⅞ to ¾ gain, and hog products varying from 2½ decline to a rise of 10c.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 87@88; No. 3, red, 85@87; No. 2, hard, 87¼@89; No. 3, hard, 86½@87¼; No. 1, northern, 1.01@1.02; No. 2, northern, 93@98; No. 3, northern, 90@97; spring, 90@97; No. 3, spring, 89@96; velvet chaff, 88@90; durum, 82@92.

Corn—No. 2, 64¾@65¼; No. 2, white, 65¼@66; No. 2, yellow, 65@65¾; No. 3, 64½@64¾; No. 3, white, 65@65½; No. 3, yellow, 65@65½; No. 4, 63½@64; No. 4, white, 63½@64½; No. 4, yellow, 63½@64½.

Oats—No. 2, 45¾@46; No. 2, white, 47¾@48½; No. 3, white, 46¾@47½; No. 4, white, 46@46¾; standard, 47½@48¾.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	88½	89	87⅞	88⅞
Sept	90¾	90¾	89¼	90⅝
Dec	93	93⅝	92¼	93⅝
May	96⅞	97¼	96⅛	97¼
Corn:				
July	63½	65	62¾	65
Sept	65⅝	67¼	64⅛	67½
Dec	64⅜	65½	63¾	65½
May	65⅞	67½	65¾	67½
Oats:				
July	45½	46⅜	45	46⅜
Sept	46⅝	47¼	45⅜	47¼
Dec	48¼	48¼	47⅝	48⅞
May	50⅜	51⅜	50¼	51⅜
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Sept	15.80	15.82	15.80	15.82
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.32	8.32	8.27	8.30
Sept	8.40	8.42	8.40	8.40
Jan	8.42	8.42	8.40	8.42
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
Sept	8.52	8.55	8.50	8.55
Jan	8.12	8.20	8.10	8.20

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 12.—The cotton goods markets are very quiet, with prices held moderately steady. Knit goods are quiet. Worsted yarns are slightly lower. Many buyers are in town, but their operations thus far have been light.

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Schooners.

Augustus Welt, 1,111 tons, Sproul, C. D. Mafflitt.

Julia A. Trubee, 373 tons, Jensen, C. D. Mafflitt.

Josie D. Burt, 722 tons, Stanton, C. D. Mafflitt.

Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Coulbourn, C. D. Mafflitt.

Major Pickands, 873 tons, Pinkham, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 12.

Atlantic Coast Line—16 casks spirits turpentine; 27 barrels rosin; 86 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—16 casks spirits turpentine; 82 barrels rosin.

Sharpie Isabel—6 casks spirits turpentine; 40 barrels rosin.

Total—38 casks spirits turpentine; 149 barrels rosin; 86 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 12.—Flour was about steady, with fair local trade.

Rye Flour—Dull.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Quiet.

Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Steady. No. 2, red, new, elevator, 93@94½ f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed at best point and partly ⅝ above yesterday. July, 98¾; Sept., 95 9-16; December, 98⅝.

Corn—Strong. Export, No. 2, 70¼ f.o.b. afloat Futures closed at ½ net higher; September, 71½.

Oats—Steady. Futures closed nominal.

Lard—Easy.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, firm. Refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady, at a net advance of 10@9 points; spot, steady; No. 7, Rio, 13⅝; No. 4, Santos, 13¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 14@16.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

Eggs—Irregular.

Potatoes—Steady. New white, No. 1, 3.75@4.25; second, 1.50@2.12; culls, 1.00@1.25.

Cabbages—Steady and unchanged.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Easier under renewed liquidation in August and September, increasingly bearish technical conditions and in sympathy with the decline in cotton. Futures closed four to 9 points, net lower. July, 6.15@6.20; August, 6.13@6.15; September, 6.15@6.16; October, 5.94@5.96; November, 5.61@5.66. Prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, 6.12@6.40; prime winter yellow, 6.25@6.75; prime summer white, 6.20@6.75.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 40¼ cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.00 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — $3.25 per barrel for hard; $4.75 for dip and $5.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	38
Rosin	149
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	49

Receipts same day last year, 30 casks turpentine; 175 barrels rosin; (—) barrels tar; 49 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 8th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, .18@.20 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; chickens, spring, .20@.35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 18 to 19 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Furnished by Rogers, McCabe & Co.)

Spanish—Farmer stock, firm, $1.27½ bid; $1.30 asked; holdings, small; No. 1, Spanish shelled, 7¼c.; No. 2, Spanish shelled, 6½ to 6¾c.

Virginians—Runch, 4¼ to 4¾c.; Fancy Hand Picked, 3⅝ to 4c.; Extra Prime, 3½ to 3¾c.; Prime, 3¼ to 3½c.; Machine Picked, 3¼ to 3⅜c.; market, firm.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Good Business; Prices, Eight Points Higher.

Liverpool, July 12.—Close: Cotton spot, good business done; prices 8 points higher; American middling fair, 8.36; good middling, 8.04; middling, 7.82; low middling, 7.62; good ordinary, 7.36; ordinary, 7.11. The close of the day there were 10,000 bales, of which 1,500 were for speculation and export, and included 9,000 American. Receipts, 5,000 bales, including 1,900 American. Futures opened steady and closed barely steady. July, 7.44½; July-August, 7.39; August-September, 7.12; September-October, 6.87; October-November, 6.76; November-December, 6.71½; December-January, 6.70½; January-February, 6.71; February-March, 6.72; March-April, 6.73.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 12.—Money on call, steady at 2¼@2½; ruling rate, 2⅜; closing bid, 2; offered at 2¼. Time loans, stronger; 60 days, 2½@2⅝, and 90 days, 2¾@3 per cent; six months, 3⅜. Prime mercantile paper, 4 to 4½ per cent; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.75 for sixty day bills, and at 4.86.40 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84; bar silver, 52⅜; Mexican dollars, 45.

Parson's Poem A Gem.

From Rev. H. Stubenvoll, Allison, Ia., in praise of Dr. King's New Life Pills.

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STOCKS SHOW NARROW RANGE

Southern Railroads and American Tobacco Were Prominent Issues Yesterday—Coast Line Makes Good Gains.

New York, July 12.—Operations on the stock exchange today were of the half-hearted character of mid-Summer. At the opening and at midday the market advanced, but in both cases recessions followed, and net changes of the standard stocks were unimportant.

Speculation was too nearly at a standstill to impart any degree of momentum to the market, and the whole movement was within a narrow range. The Southern railroads and American Tobacco, pfd. were the only prominent issues to show gains of a point or more, and on the downward movements losses were kept within correspondingly small amounts. Southern Railway was an active feature of the market. On the execution of a number of large buying orders it rose to 33¾, its highest price of the year, and within a fraction of the top figure of last year. Atlantic Coast Line and Louisville and Nashville, which is controlled by the former; Illinois Central and Kansas City Southern all made good gains, buying of these stocks being stimulated by expectations of a record-breaking cotton crop.

Speculative interest centered largely in United States Steel, that stock being sold heavily in the early part of the session, but it seemed to be well absorbed.

In view of the uncertainty as to the earnings of steel companies, following the reduction in prices of finished products, unusual interest attached to the quarterly statement of the Lackawanna Steel Company, which showed a falling off in income of more than half. The total income of the company for the last quarter was $816,000, a decrease of $1,194,000. For the first half of the year the figure was $1,690,000, a shrinkage of $1,880,000. Unfilled orders showed little change, being 218,000 tons on June 30, as compared with 244,000 tons three months earlier.

Conservative estimates of the United States Steel Corporation for the quarter just ended call for an increase of about $5,000,000 over the last quarter's total of $23,519,000.

The bond market was firm, with marked strength in American Tobacco sixes. Total sales, par value, $2,237,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Total sales for the day, 181,000 shares, including Tobacco, 900; Chesapeake and Ohio, 1,700; Louisville and Nashville, 5,900; Norfolk and Western, 300; Reading, 17,500; Southern, 17,500; do. pfd., 1,900; Tennessee Copper, 100; Union Pacific, 18,000; United States Steel, 35,300; Virginia-Carolina Chemical, 1,900.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	28¼
Amalgamated Copper	69
American Agricultural	57½
American Beet Sugar	52¼
American Can	11
American Car and Foundry	56
American Cotton Oil	54
American Hide and Leather, pfd	24½
American Ice Securities	24½
American Linseed	16½
American Locomotive	41
American Smelting and Refining	79¾
American Smelting and Refining, pfd.	107
American Steel Foundries	28
American Sugar Refining	118½
American Tel and Tel	138½
American Tobacco, pfd	95
American Woolen	31¾
Anaconda Mining Co	39¼
Atchison	112¾
Atchison, pfd	102¾
Atlantic Coast Line	131½
Baltimore and Ohio	108½
Bethlehem Steel	33
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	83⅝
Canadian Pacific	241½
Central Leather	30¼
Central Pacific	100½
Central of New Jersey	288
Chesapeake and Ohio	81⅝
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	22⅜
Chicago Great Western, pfd	44¼
Chicago and North Western	146
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	126⅛
C., C., C. and St. Louis	58
Colorado Fuel and Iron	34⅜
Colorado and Southern	54
Consolidated Gas	146
Corn Products	14⅝
Delaware and Hudson	170
Denver and Rio Grande	28
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	57
Distillers' Securities	35½
Erie	26⅞
Erie, 1st pfd	58¾
Erie, 2nd pfd	47¼
General Electric	167
Great Northern, pfd	134½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	61¾
Illinois Central	143½
Interborough-Met	17¾
Interborough-Met., pfd	39½
Inter Harvester	121½
Inter-Marine, pfd	17¾
International Paper	11⅝
International Pump	41
Iowa Central	18¾
Kansas City Southern	35
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67½
Lackelde Gas	105¾
Louisville and Nashville	154½
Minneapolis and St. Louis	21¼
Minn., St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie	140⅝
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	37
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	66
Missouri Pacific	48½
National Biscuit	135
National Lead	55¼
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30½
New York Central	108¾
New York, Ontario and Western	45½
Norfolk and Western	108⅜
North American	73½
Northern Pacific	131½
Pacific Mail	28
Pennsylvania	124½
People's Gas	106¼
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	97¼
Pittsburg Coal	20
Pressed Steel Car	36
Pullman Palace Car	161
Railway Steel Spring	36½
Reading	159⅝
Republic Steel	29⅝
Republic Steel, pfd	92½
Rock Island Co	32¼
Rock Island Co., pfd	64⅜
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	44¼
St. Louis Southwestern	31
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	72
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	48½
Southern Pacific	121⅝
Southern Railway	32⅞
Southern Railway, pfd	73
Tennessee Copper	40⅝
Texas and Pacific	28⅝
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	21
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd.	47
Union Pacific	187⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	93⅜
United States Realty	74½
United States Rubber	41¾
United States Steel	78¾
United States Steel, pfd	118¼
Utah Copper	49⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	55⅝
Wabash	16
Wabash, pfd	35
Western Maryland	64⅜
Westinghouse Electric	73⅜
Western Union	80¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 12.—Rosin and turpentine, quiet.

Charleston, S. C., July 12.—Turpentine, firm at 50½@50¾.

Rosin—Firm. B, 5.45; D, 6.10; E, 6.30; F, 6.45; G, 6.47½; H, 6.50; I, 6.52½; K, 6.55; M, 6.60; N, 7.05; W G, 7.25; W W, 7.37½.

Savannah, July 12.—Turpentine, firm, at 50@50¼. Sales, 7.70; receipts, 8.11; shipments, 9.29; stocks, 23,535.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,840; receipts, 3,567; shipments, 433; stocks, 97,906. B, 5.35@5.50; D, 6.00@6.10; E, 6.20@6.35; F, 6.40@6.47½; G, 6.40@6.50; H, 6.45@6.52½; I, 6.45@6.55; K, 6.55; M, 6.60; N, 7.10; W G, 7.25@7.30; W W, 7.37½@7.40.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, July 13th.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Wednesday, July 13th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 82 degrees; at 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 77 degrees; mean, 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inches; for the month, 1.60 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Wednesday, 1 foot.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local thunder showers Thursday and probably Friday; not much change in temperature; light, variable winds.

Port Calendar—July 13th.

Sun rises	5:10
Sun sets	7:25 P. M.
Day's Length	14 hrs. 15 min.
High water at Southport	9:10 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	11:10 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 12, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	98	70	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	84	64	.01
Atlanta	cloudy	88	70	.42
Augusta	cloudy	94	72	.12
Birmingham	raining	86	70	1.28
Boston	cloudy	96	78	.0
Charleston	cloudy	90	78	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	88	72	.76
Chicago	clear	76	70	.0
Galveston	cloudy	86	80	.32
Jacksonville	clear	92	74	.20
Memphis	pt cldy	88	74	.50
Mobile	cloudy	84	74	.16
Montgomery	cloudy	90	72	1.60
New Orleans	cloudy	86	76	.36
New York	clear	86	76	.0
Palestine	cloudy	92	72	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	86	72	.01
Pittsburg	pt cldy	88	68	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	92	72	.16
Savannah	cloudy	92	74	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	92	72	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	88	72	.0
Washington	pt cldy	88	74	.08

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Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check in the sum of Five (5) Per Cent. of the contract price, made payable to the Mayor of the City of Wilmington.

Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application to the Councilman of Streets, and a full set of plans can be seen at the office of the Engineer.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

PARKER QUINCE MOORE,
Councilman of Streets.

F. F. Pillet, City Engineer.
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by John H. Robinson and wife, Sarah Robinson, on the 23d day of September, 1910, to K. C. Sidbury, which said mortgage is recorded in Book No. 62, on Page 148, Records of New Hanover County, and default having been made in the payment of the note secured by said mortgage, the undersigned will sell at public auction for cash at the Court House door in New Hanover county, in the City of Wilmington, at twelve o'clock on the 15th day of July, 1911, the following described real estate:

Nine acres of land near and eastwardly of the Castle Haynes macadamized road, about six miles northwardly from the City of Wilmington, N. C., and beginning at a stake in the edge of DeRossette Bay, and in the Bergwynn line, and runs thence with that line south 2 degrees west, eleven chains, to a stake, Anderson Harrell's beginning corner; thence about north 88 degrees west, with said Harrell's line, eight chains and twenty-five links, to a stake, said Harrell's fourth corner; thence north two degrees east, ten chains, to a black gum in the edge of DeRossette's Bay; and thence eastwardly along the southern edge of DeRossette's Bay with its various lines to the beginning, containing nine acres.

This the 15th day of June, 1911.

K. C. SIDBURY,
Mortgagee.
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This 20th day of June, 1911.

SAMUEL BEAR, JR.,
Executor of Isaac Bear, dec'd.
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed to the undesigned by C. H. Carter and his wife, A. P. Carter, on the 7th day of April, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 59, at Page 571, will, on the 15th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of land, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1909, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Tract: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 25 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 20 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 20 poles, to a stake on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ east, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 16 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 34 poles, to a small pine in the run of Williamson's Branch; thence up the run of said brinch north 69 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north about 53 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 39 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 12 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,244 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 990 feet, to the beginning, containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

This, the 8th day of July, 1911.

E. G. CARRIER, Mortgagee.
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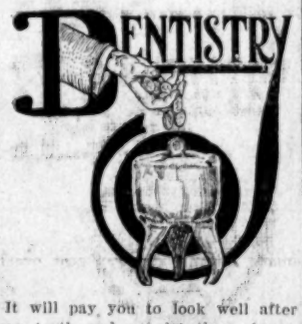

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DEATH TOLL HEAVY IN FOREST FIRES

(Continued from Page One.)

ing unchecked through Northern Ontario, at least 50 lives are lost, many have been injured, hundreds are missing and it is feared scores of these will be included in the fatalities.

Thirty lost their lives at Porcupine, including Capt. White and family, at West Dome.

Fifteen men were drowned at South Porcupine when they were driven into the lake by the dense clouds of smoke and rolling wave of fire.

Two men were burned to death at Eldorado Mine, and another met a similar fate at the United Porcupine Mines.

Three towns have been wiped off the map, and hundreds of refugees are facing starvation.

A train containing 600 women and children was rushed out of Cochrane this morning for the south, as the wall of flames advanced toward the village. The town of 2,500 inhabitants was soon a mass of fire and is entirely destroyed. South Porcupine and Pittsville are charred ruins.

Golden City was surrounded by flames for hours and is still in danger, although only the suburbs have burned. Part of Tisdale has been wiped out, the fire only being controlled by dynamiting a dozen houses in the middle of the town.

Two special trains have been sent to bring the four thousand persons who are facing starvation or death by fire in the Tisdale district.

Communication with stricken districts is exceedingly difficult.

The flames swept down on South Porcupine and Pittsville, almost without warning. The alarm came just in time for the people to rush for the lake, but they were forced to abandon all of their belongings. Gasolene boats, rowboats, and even hastily improvised rafts were utilized to get the refugees, many of whom were women and children, across the lake to Golden City. There all, with other survivors of the fires in the north, are at present fighting back the fire which scorched the outskirts of that place. There are only a few days' provisions left in Golden City.

The laborers employed on the Ontario government's new railroad line from Golden City west, reached the city after a desperate fight with the flames, in which many were badly burned. They lost everything but the clothes they wore.

The town of Kelso was abandoned today after a fight lasting since Sunday.

COL HARVEY BOOMS WILSON.

Says Jersey Executive Will Be The Next President.

New York, July 11.—Gov. Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, is the one safe bet for next President of the United States, according to Col. Geo. Harvey, who, together with Clarence H. Mackay, sailed for England on the Kaiser Wilhelm II, of the North German Lloyd Line.

"Woodrow Wilson is sure to be nominated for President on the Democratic ticket," said Colonel Harvey. "There is no doubt about it. He stands fairly well in the West and very well, indeed, in the Middle West—finely everywhere, except in Ohio.

"How can you beat it?" he went on with enthusiasm. "Mr. Taft will easily be nominated by the Republicans, for Mr. Roosevelt will not take it. He only runs when his party has a chance of success. This is an off year for the Republicans."

When asked whether or not President Taft had not redeemed the party, Colonel Harvey said: "Reciprocity has helped President Taft, but the Republicans have always won on protection. Mr. Taft has abandoned it, and the results are a subject of speculation.

"Mr. Wilson is regarded as representing the more liberal element in the Democratic party, while Mr. Harmon, of Ohio, is not identified with the advance wing, although he has been the author of some good measures in Ohio."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETING

Concluded at Atlantic City—Clark's Farewell Address.

Atlantic City N. J., July 12.—The 25th International Christian Endeavor Convention, after a most successful week came to an end tonight. The final scene took place in the two big auditoriums on the million dollar pier, where enthusiastic rallies were held. One was presided over by President Francis E. Clark, and the other by William Shaw, of Boston. President Clark made the farewell address in each meeting.

The last work done by the convention was the pledging of the balance of the balance of the $25,000 needed to complete the fund for the building of the international headquarters at Boston, in honor of President Clark. The next convention will be held in Los Angeles in 1913.

SHOOTS WIFE AND SELF DEAD.

Husband Had Pleaded for Spouse To Return to Him.

Newark, N. J., July 11. — Crosty Holzworth, an oil salesman, called upon his wife, Mabel, this afternoon and pleaded with her to return to him. When sherefused he pulled a pistol from his pocket, shot and killed her, seriously wounded Mrs. Arlington Bensel, her cousin, who sought to pacify him, and then blew his brains out. Mrs. Bensel is the wife of a wellknown business man. It is believed she will recover.

The shooting occurred at Mrs. Bensel's home, where Mrs. Holzworth had been staying. She died almost instantly.

In reading store ads most people are looking for definite information bout some particular article—hence merchants should quote prices always.

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J. C. Herring—Concrete Blocks.

DIED IN TARBORO.

Prominent Young Man of Rocky Mount Passes Away—Funeral.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., July 12.—This morning the community was saddened by the news of the death of Mr. J. A. Smith which occurred at 8 o'clock in the Pittman Hospital at Tarboro, where he had been for about ten days under treatment for typhoid fever. Mr. Smith's condition had been considered most serious for the past several days, and though everything known to medical skill was being done for him, he was in a most critical condition since Sunday and last night it was seen that he was sinking and that the end was only a matter of hours. A brother was at his bedside, while his mother was hurrying there when the news of his death greeted her upon her arrival at Tarboro this morning. Mr. Smith, following a short attack of malaria, was able to be out on Sunday, June 24th, and it was while in this convalescent state that he suffered a collapse that went into typhoid fever. He was taken to the Tarboro Hospital where he gradually grew worse, and though he was extremely ill the fact did not seem to be known by the general public and the news of his death came as a sudden surprise this morning.

There are but few young men in the city that numbered a larger circle of friends and acquaintances than did Mr. Smith; prominent in the various organizations of young men, he was an officer in the local lodge of Elks, a member of the Board of Governors of the Sagamore Club, a prominent Pythian. Today the Rocky Mount Insurance and Realty Company is closed in respect to the deceased secretary and several members of the firm accompanied the remains to Chatham, Va., where the funeral will be conducted tomorrow. Mr. Smith was 28 years old, and is survived by his bereaved parents, two brothers and several sisters.

HOMELESS SURVIVORS.

Provided for in Michigan—Another Village Burning.

Detroit, Mich., July 12.—With food at their disposal and tents provided for their shelter, the thousand or more homeless survivors of the fire-swept villages of Au Sable and Oscoda breathed easier tonight than at any time since the flames destroyed their homes yesterday afternoon. The known dead remain three in number. The bodies are charred beyond recognition.

The village of Water, 107 miles north of Bay City, on the Michigan Central, was reported to be burning tonight, together with the Stephenson Lumber Company mills, and lumber yards, valued at about $400,000. The village has about 200 per manent residents and a large floating population of "lumber Jacks."

State Fire Warden Oates has summoned every available man to check the progress of the flames. His reports tonight indicate that small forest fires are burning in every county north of the counties bounded on the west by Mason and on the east by Arenac. In the western section of the State, Antrim and Charlevoix counties report threatening fires.

Au Sable and Oscoda tonight present a desolate picture. Those not sheltered by tents have gathered at the depot and every train takes many away. Here and there a few brick and melted iron are all that remain of the buildings.

Relief measures throughout the State are progressing rapidly. Late today a special train from Bay City carried 20 cases of condensed milk, 3,000 pounds of ham, 2,500 loaves of bread, 30 cases of dried beef and all kinds of cereals as well as blankets, and clothing to the destitute.

Cash contributions for the sufferers are also being sent from many cities.

SENATOR'S SON KILLED.

Dr. Ralph H. Gallinger Victim at Pembroke, N. H.

Pembroke, N. H., July 12.—Dr. Ralph E. Gallinger, of Concord, son of United States Senator Jacob H. Gallinger, was killed in an automobile accident just before midnight.

Dr. Gallinger and A. E. Davies, a Concord insurance superintendent, had been out for an evening spin in the former's car. When about half way between this town and Concord, on the return trip, the machine struck a sandy stretch of roadway and turned turtle. Dr. Gallinger was pinned beneath the car and instantly killed. Davies was severely injured.

Dr. Gallinger was 40 years old and a practicing physician at Concord.

TROUBLE IN PORTUGAL.

Daring Attempt to Capture St. George Castle Yesterday.

Lisbon, Portugal, July 11.—By way Badajos, Spain, July 12.—A mysterious and daring, though unsuccessful attempt was made to penetrate and capture St. George Castle, now a strongly fortified fortress on the top of a hill in the center of the city tonight.

The sentinels at the castle were surprised by a large body of men who fired volleys. The whole garrison quickly turned out and charged with fixed bayonets. The invaders disappeared in the darkness. The attack has caused a sensation and the garrison of the city has been reinforced.

TO REBUILD GREAT LIBRARY.

New York Legislature Has Appropriated $1,250,000 for the Purpose.

Albany, N. Y., July 12.—A bill appropriating $1,250,000 for the rehabilitation of the New York State library, which was destroyed by the recent fire in the Capitol, has been passed by the Legislature.

The sum of $250,000 is made available immediately, $500,000 on January 1 next and the remaining $500,000 on October 1, 1912.

VIOLENT SEISMIC TREMORS.

Instrument at Georgetown University Records the Shocks.

Washington, July 12.—An earthquake of some violence and remarkable for its duration was recorded last night at the seisological observatory of Georgetown University.

The tremors began at 11:27 P. M. and continued until 1:18 A. M., being most severe at 12:20.

The indications were that the point of occurrence was remote from Washington.

B. V. D. Underwear 39c per garment at Fuchs' Big Sale. **

A PLAIN BUSINESS MAN'S VIEW.

The Political "Pot" is beginning to boil early and the politicians, I presume, are beginning early to allign their respective forces in the usual way. And now, while the politicians are at work on their plans to get a place "up higher," the better to serve the "dear people," it behooves every business man, every working man, every farmer, in fact every citizen whose interest is affected by his vote, to look matters of this kind squarely in the face and "govern himself accordingly."

There is, in the offing, already looming up, a great contest, probably the greatest contest for votes that North Carolina has ever experienced. Almost everybody knows, by this time, that in the coming contest, four of our foremost great men will contend for the seat in the U. S. Senate, which will be made vacant by the expiration of Senator Simmons' term, more than a year hence. No one, who knows them and have followed the records of these four great men, questions the ability of either of them. I would want to be the last man to utter a word that would detract in the slightest degree from the honor and renown which these illustrious sons of North Carolina have gained for themselves. But the subject is a matter of cold business thought, and when reduced to its last analysis, is devoid of sentiment. The question arises then, which of these gentlemen can best serve and represent the interests of the people of North Carolina, in the United States Senate? Who in the running is best qualified and equipped to perform the arduous task of properly serving his constituency? Is it a wise policy to send good men to the Senate and Congress of the United States, and after years of training and preparation and qualifying themselves for this specific work by diligent application, and for no specific cause, to turn them out, only because some one else wants the place? When will the South, and escpecially North Carolina, quit this folly? These are cold business questions, and should have our most serious thought and consideration. At this time, probably more than ever before; now, when our beloved South is entering upon an era of wonderful and unprecedented development, do we need in the halls of our National Legislature, men who are best trained and best qualified by long and efficient service, to speak for us, to make our wants and needs known, to present our grievances and requirements in such a way as will most speedily bring to us the desired results. North Carolina has a splendid pair of Senators, a pair of which any State in the Union might well feel proud. We are proud of them. It would be a grave mistake for us, in the coming contest to break the pair, as now constituted. Let us hope sincerely that it will not be done. Let us learn valuable lessons from some of our sister States, who keep their Senators and Representatives at Washington for tewnty and thirty years, yea, some for life. They have learned the good of it, it pays them. It is a good business principle, and business men are beginning to realize more than ever before the importance of such a policy.

The result of the direct primary in the Sixth Congressional District last Fall, although coming about in the peculiar manner that it did, showed how the people felt; and on this "law of average," I venture the assertion that when applied to the whole State of North Carolina, in this senatorial contest, by a direct vote primary, Senator Simmons will succeed himself by an overwhelming majority.

I wish to say, that when Senator Simmons and General Carr were in the senatorial contest, in which Mr. Simmons was chosen, I was a sincere and enthusiastic supporter of General Carr, but now, on Mr. Simmons' record in the United States Senate, if for no other reason, I shall support Senator Simmons in the coming contest, if I am permitted to live until the time when the vote is taken. we need to keep this able statesman right where he is. J. B. MERCER.

POISONOUS BLACKBERRIES.

Four Negroes Die Suddenly, After Eating the Fruit.

Newberry, S. C., July 12.—A lady who has been visiting in the Maybinton community, near the Fairfield line, brings the news to Newberry that four negroes died suddenly near Shelton, just across the river in Fairfield county, and it is supposed their death was due to some poisonous insect on blackberries, whichthey had picked only the evening before.

It is stated three deaths were in one family and in the same house. The other party has been with these three in the blackberry picking. The poisonous insect theory in connection with the blackberry picking is said to have been held by the doctors who were called in. Two of the negroes were about grown and two were younger. Their names are not known.

FALSE STORY DENOUNCED.

Confederate Veterans of New Orleans Take Action on Matter.

New Orleans, July 12.—At a meeting of several Confederate veterans, members of Camp No. 2, Army of the Tennessee, held last night, a statement, said to have appeared in a weekly magazine on June 10th last, in which it was asserted that a school teacher of New Haven, Conn., was denuded, tarred and feathered in a public square of New Orleans during the Civil War, was strongly denounced as a falsehood. The veterans referred the matter to the historical committee for further action.

MUDDY and PIMPLY COMPLEXIONS

Quickly Respond to a Few Applications of Hokara, Which Leaves the Skin in a Soft, White and Velvety Condition.

Hokara contains no grease or acids, is antiseptic and cleansing, therefore it is a truly scientific massage cream and skin food.

Thousands of ladies are only too glad to utilize something that would assist nature in restoring their face and hands to the flush of youth, and to these Hokara will prove a godsend, as it is guaranteed to clear the complexion of all blemishes, such as pimples, black heads, freckles, wrinkles, etc.

Sold by J. Hicks Bunting Co. under a guarantee of satisfaction or your money back. A liberal jar for 25c; larger size, 50c and $1.

THE "DICK TO DICK" LETTER.

Secretary Fisher Urges Thorough Probe of Alaskan Incident.

Washington, July 12.—Appearing voluntarily before the House Committee on Expenditures in the Interior Department today, Secretary of the Interior Walter L. Fisher made an unsuccessful plea for the immediate investigation of the story of Miss M. F. Abbott, a writer, relating to the mysteriously missing "Dick to Dick" letter from Richard S. Ryan, of New York, to former Secretary of the Interior Ballinger, concerning the Controller Bay lands in Alaska.

Secretary Fisher, offering to co-operate with the committee in every way, but insisting that the public interests had not been jeopardized, urged that the letter be taken up so as to determine whether such a litter xisted, and, if so, who removed it from the Interior Department files.

Representative Graham announced that the committee regarded the letter as of secondary importance, but would thoroughly investigate that matter "in due time." It was this letter in which Ryan is claimed to have written that he had sent Chas. P. Taft to tell his brother, the President, "who he (Ryan) represented." In his interest of Controller Bay claims and that the President withdrew his objections. The hearing will be resumed Friday.

RESUME LORIMER INQURY.

Begins in Washington Today—Illinois Witnesses.

Washington, July 12.—An on-to-Washington movement was inaugurated in many places for the resumption of the investigation tomorrow in the election of Senator Lorimer. Senator Dillingham, chairman of the investigating committee, spent the recess since the committee's adjournment in Vermont.

Attorneys John M. Marble and J. J. Healy have been on an evidence-gathering trip to Chicago. Senator Lorimer and his counsel as well as counsel for Edward Hines, were expected to start for Washington today from Chicago.

The hour of the committee meeting was changed from 10 A. M. to 11 A. M., to accommodate Senator Lorimer and his attorneys. Illinois witnesses are also expected to start for Washington today.

SUSPEND CRIPPEN'S LAWYER.

Newton Found Guilty of Professional Misconduct.

London, July 12.—Arthur Newton, who was found guilty of professional misconduct in his defense of the wife murderer, Dr. Hawley H. Crippen, by a committee of the Law Society, was today suspended from practice for one year and ordered by the divisional court to pay the costs of the inquiry.

Newton was alleged to have aided and abetted Horatio W. Bottomly, editor of a weekly publication, and member of parliament for the south division of Hackney, to publish false statements regarding the case and also to have aided the Daily Chronicle to give publicity to similar untruths.

TWENTY REPORTED KILLED.

Soo Ore Train and Freight Train Collided.

Deerwood, Minn., July 12.—A Soo ore train and freight train collided on a trestle leading to the Soo are docks in Superior, Wis., this evening. Twenty men are reported killed. The bridge is burning and cars are falling into a ditch.

You will lose money if you fail to trade at Fuchs' Big Sale. **

BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams, bills rendered to suit the sender daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements, always call the Star office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

NOTICE—July 28th, 1911, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash one rubber-tired buggy at my shop, No. 112 S. Second street. J. E. G. Brown. jy13-1tt

3,000 CONCRETE Building Blocks; also concrete bricks; price, 10c. per block. Each block equals ten brick. Ready for delivery. J. C. Herring. Phone 656. jy13-1t*

FOR SALE—Two cows, good milkers; also household and kitchen furniture, at 416 Bladen street. Will be sold on reasonable terms. jy13-1t*

SPECIAL—50 bunches bananas at 10c. per dozen. Pure Food Market. 'Phone 1493. D. M. Davis. jy12-tf

WAKE UP! Spread out! Advertise! Multigraph imitation typewritten circulars; cheap as printing; better results. All classes typewriting and notary work. Meares Harriss, Notary Public, Stenographer; 114 Princess street; 'phone 708. dei-tu,su,th-tf

WANTED—Reliable men to take fifteen days' cotton course, our sample rooms. Good positions open for competent men. School with rating. Carolina Cotton School, Charlotte, N. C. jy9,11,13,15,18,20,22*

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WANTED — Assistant book-keeper by mercantile house. Please give references, when making application. P. O. Box 153, City. jy12-tf

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FOR RENT—The City Laundry will vacate No. 105 North Third street about June 1st, to move to their new quarters, and I will offer for rent the entire three floors of building, or either one of said floors. Apply now, so that necessary changes can be made before occupancy. Joseph D. Smith, chairman Building Committee, Cape Fear Lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., 120 Princess street. 'Phone 766. ap23-su,th-tf

COOL OFF—Go down on the moonlight excursion Thursday night, July 13th, at 8 o'clock. Steamer Wilmington. The Sunday school class from St. Andrews' will try and make it pleasant for you. Fare, 25c. Refreshments on board. jy12-2t*

FOR RENT—Southport, N. C., attractive, cool, five-room cottage, on the water front; partly furnished. For information, address P. O. Box 51, Southport, N. C. jy122t*

BANANA SALE—This week, 15c. per dozen; 2 doz., 25c. Extra fancy bananas, this week, 12 1-2c. per dozen. No fake. Come in and see them; they are fine. Palace Market Co., 'Phone No. 72. jy11-tf

BANANAS—Six hundred bunches bananas to be sold at seventy cents per bunch. Northern Fruit Co., 'phone 280. jy9-4t

JUST RECEIVED—A car load of milk cows, all fresh and good milkers, giving from 3 to 8 gallons daily. Can be seen at H. L. Kidd's, 16th and Orange. jy7-6t*

SUMMER BOARDERS—Mrs. T. A. Covington, Lincolnton, N. C. House nicely located; water, lights, baths; terms reasonable. jy7-6t*

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JUST ARRIVED—Car load of farm wagons; $32.50. Wilmington Carriage Works, 1103 Castle st. je13-tf

TO THE PUBLIC—Uncle Charles' pawn shop has moved to 16 S. Front street; look for the yellow building. my31-tf

ARE YOU GOING AWAY? See Uncle Charles for a good suit case or trunk. 16 S. Front st. "Yellow Building." my31-tf

THE GILBERT HOUSE combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets; junction of all cars. Cars to depot; electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best, and rates reasonable. Transient, $1.25 to $1.50 per day. Special rates to regular and table boarders. ja8-tf

LISTEN! Everybody. The D. L. T. Capps Plumbing Co. is right on the job, when it comes to plumbing and heating. 130 Market st. 'Phone 1132. je18-tf

FOR SALE—Boiler and tank; 40-H. P. boiler, complete; guaranteed 100 lbs. steam, also one Caldwell 3,000 gallon tank. Will sell cheap. Can make quick delivery. City Laundry Co. my28-tf

BOYS

ONE SHARE OF TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS I shall give to every boy who sells to ten of his friends a standard five-cent article each week this Summer. In ADDITION to the big prize A REGULAR INCOME is assured. I'll tell you how. Make a list of the ten names and addresses. Bring it with you. You needn't miss ball game or fishing trip. Bring your parents if you choose. Come early.

J. T. GORDON,
201 Princess Street,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Genuine Thermos Bottles

Quart and Pint Sizes at the New Reduced Prices.

At these Low Prices THERMOS BOTTLES are No Longer a Luxury but a Necessity!

Ask to See them.

A. O. SCHUSTER
JEWELER
104 North Front Street

Land Plaster

Just received one carload of Land Plaster in 200 pound bags. Send your orders in quick.

—ALSO—

A full line of other goods, including everything that is usually carried by wholesale grocers.

D. L. GORE CO.
Wholesale Grocers and Importers.
Wilmington, N. C.
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HO! FOR THE BEACH.

The Brotherhood of Railway Clerks will give their annual excursion to Carolina Beach Saturday, July 15th, the Steamer Wilmington will make two trips, 2:30 P. M. and 7:30 P. M., returning leave the Beach at 10 P. M. arrive Wilmington 11:15 P. M. A good time expected and all are invited to join us. Fare 25c round trip. jl 13-3t.

YOU NEED THE SERVICES

of a clean, strong, progressive bank. We need your friendship and your business. Can't we get together?

Capital	$ 250,000.00
Surplus	$ 40,000.00
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4 Per Cent on Savings Deposits.

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The Independent Working Man

Is the one who has laid away something out of his earnings for a rainy day. You can become independent, too, if you will deposit a part of your wages in this bank. It will help you by paying FOUR PER CENT. on your savings.

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SPECIALS

At FUCHS' Big Sale conducted by
M. J. MERRITT

Thursday at 10 A. M. we will sell five yards of the best Apron Gingham for 20c

Thursday, at 5 P. M., we will sell for ten minutes Pebble Huck Towels, worth 10c for 4c

Friday, at 10 A. M., we will sell ladies' and Gents' fast black and tan Hose, worth 10c, for 3c

Saturday, at 10 A. M., we will sell 25 10-yd patterns of best Dress Ginghams, worth $1.50 for 50c

Saturday, at 5 P. M., we will sell 25 pair of Men's Overalls, worth 50c, for 25c

Men's and Boys' Clothing is being shown and sold at the lowest prices ever offered to the people of Wilmington.

Remember, reader, that the entire stock has been re-marked and reduced in price and everything is being sold at a sacrifice.

Don't miss this big sale.

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Pure Wheat Middlings

317 Bags Wheat Middlings.
260 Bags Wheat Bran.
161 Bags Rice Meal.
317 Bags No. 2 Mixed Oats.
670 Bags Corn.
417 Bags Meal.
660 Bbls. Timothy Hay.
75 Bbls. Roller King Flour.
850 Bags Roller King Flour.
49 Bbls. New Catch Mullets.

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BARGAINS

100 Kegs XX Mullets.
1000 Bales Rice Straw.
250 Bbls. Belle of Wilmington, Fancy Patent Flour.
250 Bbls. Eldred Fancy Patent Flour.
150 Bbls. Violet Half Patent Flour.
400 Bags Rice, All Grades.
50 Cases Mecklenburg Ginger Ale.
25 Crates Lemons.
50 Cases Herring Roe.
500 Bales No. 1 Timothy Hay.
300 Bundles Hoop Iron.
500 Spirit Casks.
10 Bbls. Glue.
5 Bbls. Bungs, All Sizes.

We also have a full stock of cigars, tobacco, cakes, candy and all kinds of canned goods. All orders will be appreciated and given prompt attention.

J. W. BROOKS
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